

## LAST RITES OF CHURCH PAID TO REV. FR. WEBER

High dignitaries of the Catholic church of the Harrisburg diocese, school children and members of St. Aloysius church and other friends paid final tribute this morning to the memory of Rev. Fr. John Henry Weber, pastor of the church, who was fatally injured in an automobile crash early Wednesday morning.

After the recitation of the Office of the Dead at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon in the church, the body of the late prelate, who served his church as priest for 32 of his 60 years, lay in state until the hour of service.

Hundreds of his parishioners and other friends paid their respects to the prelate's memory Friday evening and this morning. An honor guard of members of the Holy Name society of St. Aloysius church stood vigil throughout the night.

**Children's Mass**  
At 8 o'clock this morning Rev. Fr. Joseph Gotwald, of Hanover, formerly of Fairfield, officiated at a high mass for school children. This was followed by the high requiem mass at 10:30 o'clock.

Rt. Rev. Msgr. Peter Huegel, vicar general of the Harrisburg diocese and rector of St. Lawrence church, Harrisburg, was the celebrant.

Very Rev. Joseph Schweich, V.F., of St. Joseph's church, Lancaster. Father Weber's home parish was the deacon. The subdeacon was the Rev. Fr. Vincent Topper of Immaculate Conception church at Fairfield. Master of Ceremonies was Rev. Fr. Francis Kirchner, pastor of the church of Sts. Margaret and Mary in Harrisburg.

Father Weber, who served St. Aloysius parish for seven years, had previously requested that no sermon be delivered at his funeral service. Interment was made in the St. Aloysius parish cemetery.

**200 At Friday Service**  
Approximately 200 people including the children of the school were present at St. Aloysius church, Friday afternoon, when the body of Rev. Fr. John H. Weber, was taken to the church at 4 o'clock. The Office for the Dead was chanted by the priests of the diocese. The lessons were chanted by the Rev. Fr. Edward J. O'Flynn, St. Joseph's church, Hanover, and the Rev. Fr. Harold Keller, Sacred Heart, Conewago, and the Rev. Fr. Joseph Smarsh, St. Paul's, Annapolis. The Rev. Fr. Bernard Mattern, Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Marietta, was the cantor. Other priests assisting were the Rev. Fr. Mark E. Stock and the Rev. Fr. Louis Forgen, St. Francis Xavier, Gettysburg; the Rev. Fr. Robert Gribbin, St. Joseph's, Hanover; the Rev. Fr. Chester Loszewski, Paradise Rectory; the Rev. Fr. Laurence McGinley, Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, McSherrystown; the Rev. Fr. Guy Gotwald, St. Vincent's, Hanover, who is substituting at the St. Aloysius church and the Rev. Fr. Francis J. Hiltsh, St. Gertrude's, Lebanon. The Rev. Fr. Cletus Helfrich, Salisbury, N. C., was present but did not participate in the Office.

Friday night at 7 o'clock, the women of the parish met for prayer and at 8 o'clock, the men of the parish met for prayer. The Rev. Fr. Guy Gotwald led the rosary at both services.

**Club Plans Play On Wednesday At Bendersville Hall**  
A three-act play, "The Folks Next Door" will be presented Wednesday evening at the Bendersville fire hall by the Adams county Senior Extension club, John B. Horner, news editor for the organization, announced today.

Produced, directed and acted by Senior Extension club members the show will begin at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening and will last for two hours and 15 minutes.

Members of the cast include Charles Geisler as "Willard Stiner," editor of the Independent; Donald Smith as "Dr. Samuel Hobson," who lives next door; Boots Crouse as "Sarah Stiner," Stiner's wife; Charles Cashman, "Roy Stiner," Steven's son; Harriet Geiselman, "Zelda Hobson," Hobson's daughter; Nadine Baker, "Cleva Stiner," Stiner's daughter; Guy Lobaugh, "Elwood Granger," a young man from Indianapolis; Horace Waybright, "Donald Hobson," Hobson's son; Evelyn Hikes, "Lola Ellington," a local belle; Charlotte Geiselman, "Almira Gudgeon," president of the Ladies Aid; John B. Horner, "Byron Longley," principal of the grammar school and Kathryn Bucher, "Ellen Hobson," Hobson's wife.

Tickets for the show, to which the public is invited, will be on sale at the office of County Agent M. T. Hartman in the court house, at the home of Senior Extension members and at the door of the fire hall Wednesday night, Horner announced.

## To Graduate

Miss Darlene B. Trostle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Trostle, Jr., Gettysburg R. 2, completed her nurse's training course this week at the University of Maryland School of Nursing at Baltimore. Formal graduation exercises will take place June 5. After a few days of vacation with her family, Miss Trostle will return to University hospital where she will be in charge of the women's surgical ward.



## ASK CHAMBER TO HELP WITH CENSUS WORK

The cooperation of the Gettysburg Chamber of Commerce was sought today by the United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, in taking the 1948 census of manufacturing establishments in the nation.

The manufacturing census is the first to be taken since 1940, and will cover industrial operations during 1947. It is being conducted by mail, a departure from previous practice, when personal visits by census takers were made.

"This method, however, presents one problem, that of making sure that all manufacturing establishments are included," said a letter received today from the census bureau by Mrs. Helen Snyder, secretary of the chamber of commerce. "It is possible that some have been omitted from our mailing list despite the extensive efforts that have been made to achieve completeness."

**Required To File**  
The letter to the chamber asks that the attention of manufacturers in this area be called to the fact that reports covering their operations in 1947 should be submitted to the bureau of the census. Those who have not received questionnaires should write to the bureau industry division, Washington 25, D. C., giving name and address.

Manufacturers should also describe the principal products that they make so that the bureau can send them the correct form. The chamber is asked to encourage manufacturers to complete their questionnaires.

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## TOTAL CLIMBS FOR RED CROSS

Contributions to the Adams County Red Cross fund campaign neared the \$11,000 mark today with \$10,719.34 turned in so far in the drive for \$14,820.

With about \$4,000 still needed, officials of the Red Cross renewed their plea for those who feel they can spare more to give additional contributions. A \$1 bill additional from each of a large number of donors can turn the drive into a success, it was pointed out. Some individuals and organizations missed by solicitors are urged to make contributions.

Among most recent donations were \$150.25 from District Eight, Littlestown, which boosted the total turned in by the people of that section to \$1,230.90.

Among the larger donors whose sums were included in that amount were St. Luke's Lutheran church, which gave \$38.50; Grace Lutheran church, Two Taverns, \$45.50; St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school, \$20; Women's Community club, \$10; Littlestown Lions, \$10, and Littlestown Eagles, \$10.

District Nine, Gettysburg R. D., gave \$34 additional toward the fund, bringing the total reported from that district to \$466.20.

## Local Weather

Yesterday's high ..... 68  
Last night's low ..... 39  
Today at 10:30 a. m. .... 46  
One group of millinery reduced to \$4.00, 20% reduction on suits, Virginia M. Myers, Baltimore Street.

## FINAL CONCERT OF 1948 SERIES SUNDAY NIGHT

Zadel Skolovsky, talented young pianist who presents the third and final concert in the Gettysburg Concert Association's 1948 series at the Majestic theater Sunday night, has chosen a varied program with which he hopes to win the plaudits of his Gettysburg audience.

One of the better known of his several numbers is "Polonaise in A Flat Major, Opus 53," by Chopin, an outstanding example of the virile, militant composer which for many years has been the most popular of his works. Such other compositions as "Clair de Lune," by Debussy, "Russian Dance," from "Petrouschka," by Stravinsky, Liszt's "Rhapsody No. 11," and "Caprice in E Flat Major" by Paganini-Liszt, are also included on the program.

**Mozart's Sonata**  
Skolovsky will open his program with two chorales by Bach-Rummel, followed by Mozart's "Sonata in A Minor." These make up Part I of the pianist's offerings.

For Part 2, Skolovsky will present three of Chopin's works, "Ballade in A Flat Major, Opus 47," the third of four ballads written by this composer in Paris in 1841; "Nocturne in G Major, No. 2, Opus 37," called by some as "the most beautiful music Chopin ever wrote," and his "Polonaise."

Following an intermission Skolovsky will play "Jeu d'Eau," by Ravel, a highly original number which presents the glittering, cascades of a fountain; "The Harmonica Player," from David W. Guion's "Alley Tunes," depicting a negro playing a harmonica for the "pickaninies" in the shadow of the cabin door at the close of day, and the ever-popular "Clair de Lune."

**"Russian Dance"**  
The "Russian Dance" will follow. The ballet "Petrouschka" portrays the life of the lower classes in Russia, with all its dissoluteness, barbarity, misery and tragedy.

Franz Liszt, the most brilliant and prodigious piano virtuoso of his century, is known chiefly through his piano compositions today, and it is to the fact that he was the first great artist to devote entire concert programs exclusively to piano music that moderns have the present-day institution, the "piano recital."

The "D Flat Etude" which Skolovsky plays next on Sunday night's program is an example of Liszt's unique art of blending brilliant technical display with highly characterized poetic tone-painting.

The regular program will conclude with the "E Flat Caprice," and Liszt's "Rhapsody No. 11."

Doors of the Majestic theater will be open at 8:15 p. m. Sunday night and the concert will start at 8:30 p. m.

## 66 PARENTS AT CUB SESSION

Sixty-six parents of Cub Scout age youngsters were present Friday evening for the first in a series of training programs held by the Black Walnut Boy Scout district at the Lincoln school for the parents of youngsters who wish to become Cubs.

Twelve of the parents were from Biglerville, and the remainder from Gettysburg. Twenty youngsters accompanied the parents to the session.

Following brief talks by the Rev. Dr. Dwight F. Putman and C. I. Raffensperger, district organization and extension chairman, a program was conducted by Scout Field Executive D. M. Dickson in which the parents conducted an actual Cub scout meeting.

A motion picture showing activities of the Cub scouts was shown.

With the next meeting scheduled to be held next Friday evening parents of Cub age youngsters who were unable to attend this Friday will have an opportunity to begin their study at the second session. Parents who were unable to attend the session Friday evening and who wish to take advantage of the entire series may begin the course next Thursday evening by attending the first in a series of programs to be held for parents of the Hanover section at Hanover. The same material covered here Friday night will be presented.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY

A birthday party was held Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Musselman in Orrianna to celebrate the sixth birthday of their daughter, Ann. Games were played and refreshments were served. Those present were Catherine Roth, James Roth, Jay Martin, Richard Boyer, Robert Bream, Wayne Bishop and Ann Musselman.

## IN STUDENT RECITAL

Miss Barbara Ann Kleinfelter, of Biglerville, will appear in a student recital at Lebanon Valley college on Tuesday, as accompanist for Walter Levinsky, clarinetist.

## GHS Student Will Speak At Parley

Betty Jo Hill, a student at Gettysburg high school, will be a speaker at the annual Pennsylvania High School Press conference to be held at the Pennsylvania State college on May 1.

Her subject will be "The Value of High School Newspaper Exchange."

On the program for the all-day event are speeches by Dr. Ben E. Wema, dean of the school of the liberal arts at Penn State; Peter Huss, New York INS correspondent to the United Nations; John Biddle, president of the Pennsylvania Newspaper Publishers' association, and the presidents of the journalism and advertising honoraries at the college. Dr. J. Allen Figurel, president of the Pennsylvania School Press association, will be chairman.

Discussion groups, presentation of awards and scholarships, campus tours, and a luncheon are also scheduled.

## MISS HEMLER, D. E. KAUFFMAN WED ON FRIDAY

On Friday evening at 7 o'clock in St. James Lutheran church, Miss June K. Hemler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Hemler, Gettysburg R. D., and granddaughter of Frank Felix, 22 Mummasburg street, with whom she resided, became the bride of Donald E. Kauffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Kauffman, Shippensburg. The double-ring ceremony of the Lutheran church was used by the Rev. Dr. Ralph R. Gresh, pastor of the bride.

The bride was attired in a grey gabardine suit with navy accessories. She carried a white prayer-book to which was attached an orchid. The matron of honor was Mrs. Martha Musser, aunt of the bride. Her ensemble consisted of a green gabardine suit with brown accessories. She wore a corsage of yellow rosebuds.

Thomas Tillet of Philadelphia served as best man.

The church was decorated with (Continued on page 3)

## MISS WASSEM DIES ON FRIDAY

Miss Myra E. Wassem, Gettysburg, died at the Elms nursing home, York, Friday evening at 6 o'clock from a complication of diseases. She had been a patient at the nursing home for three weeks and prior to that was a patient at the Warner hospital for five weeks.

Miss Wassem was born in Gettysburg, a daughter of the late Frederick T. and Thresa (Zhea) Wassem. For a number of years she was employed by the Bell Telephone company and later was employed in the office of Dr. Walter S. Mountain. She was a member of St. Francis Xavier Catholic church and the Blessed Virgin Sodality.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Margaret Maguire, East Middle street, with whom she made her home for the last four years, and one brother, Dr. Charles F. Wassem, Philadelphia. A number of nephews and nieces also survive.

Funeral services Monday morning, meeting at the Bender funeral home at 8:30 o'clock with a high requiem mass at 9 o'clock at St. Francis church conducted by the Rev. Mark E. Stock. Interment in the church cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Sunday evening.

## Famous World Theologian Ends Series Of Seminary Lectures

For the past several months the Gettysburg Lutheran Theological seminary has been host to one of the most distinguished of world Lutheran theologians, Dr. Anders Nygren, official head of world Lutheranism as president of the Lutheran World Federation, of which Dr. A. R. Wentz, president of the local seminary, is vice president.

Dr. Nygren, who is also professor of theology at the University of Lund, in Sweden, with Mrs. Nygren, sailed from Gothenburg aboard the Swedish liner Drottningholm, and landed in New York city on January 13. They reached Gettysburg two days later, and since that time Dr. Nygren has delivered a series of lectures on "The Nature of the World of God" at the seminary, which was attended by approximately 75 pastors of churches in this area. The same series will be delivered at a number of other seminaries in the United States before Dr. Nygren returns to Sweden on the liner Gripsholm June 18.

## Delegate To Synod

Besides being in this country as president of the Lutheran World Federation, Dr. Nygren is also one of four official delegates of the Swedish government to the centennial celebration of the Evangelical Lutheran Augustana Synod, to be held at Rock Island, Ill., from June 7 to June 13. The other delegates are Archbishop Erling Eldem of Uppsala, Bishop Arvid Runestam of Karlstad and Professor Hilding Pleiel of the department of church history of the University of Lund.

## MISS PLANK AND R. STORMFELTZ MARRY AT NOON

Miss Arlene Ruth Plank, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Earl Plank, Gettysburg R. 2, and Robert W. Stormfeltz, son of Mrs. Clara M. Stormfeltz, Manheim, were united in marriage at 12 noon today at the Prince of Peace Episcopal church here. The Rev. W. R. Doyle, rector of the church, performed the single ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of marquisette with a triple fold bertha forming a V in the back. Her full skirt ended in a long train and she wore matching gauntlets. Her net veil was caught with a cluster of orange blossoms on either side of the face and her bouquet of white roses had an orchid center. She wore a locket that had belonged to her maternal grandmother.



MRS. STORMFELTZ

The maid of honor, Miss Frances Baum, Palmyra, a college classmate of the bride, was dressed in a gown of pale pink. The bridesmaids, Mrs. Malcolm Miller, Phoenixville, and Mrs. Eugene Hollinger, Manheim, sister of the bridegroom, wore Nile green. All of the attendants' gowns were of taffeta with an off-shoulder effect. The sleeves consisted of three rows of accordion pleating which also decorated the edge of the skirt. Hip padding emphasized the fullness of the skirts. Each wore a band of flowers around her head and carried a bouquet of spring flowers.

**Reception Held**  
Robert Reidenbaugh, Lititz, was best man and the ushers were Eugene Hollinger, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, and Sterling F. Plank, Gettysburg R. 2, a brother of the bride.

For the ceremony, the bride's (Continued on page 3)

## STOCKS WELCOME TWINS

Twins sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Stock, St. Petersburg, Florida, formerly of Gettysburg, on Wednesday. One child weighed five pounds fourteen ounces and the other five pounds and three-quarters of an ounce. The Stocks have another son, age 4, Mr. Stock, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Stock, North Stratton street, is employed on the Evening Independent newspaper.

## WAR FILM FOR LIONS

An official army sound film of the landing on the Normandy beaches in June, 1944, will be shown at the Monday evening dinner meeting of the Gettysburg Lions club at the Shelter House. The Lions club chorus will rehearse after the meeting.

## Plan Convention At Fairfield On Sunday

The annual convention of the Second Church School district will be held in the Fairfield Mennonite church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The theme of the convention will be "Have Faith In God." An address on that subject will be delivered by F. C. Ackley, of the Philosophy department of Gettysburg college.

Richard Starner, president of the Adams County Council of Christian Education, will conduct an installation service for the newly elected officers. Charles Lott, district president, will preside. There will be special music.

## PRICE OF EGGS EDGES UPWARD ON MART TODAY

The price of eggs went up one to two cents on the Farmers' Market this morning, large whites bringing 57 and 58 cents a dozen. Dressed poultry and pork remained unchanged. Chickens and ducks were 60 cents a pound.

Sausage sold for 55 cents a pound; backbone, 40 cents a pound; fresh bacon, 50 cents a pound; cured bacon, 65 cents a pound; scrapple, 20 and 25 cents a pound; pork roasts, 55 cents a pound; loins, 80 cents a pound; ribs, 40 cents a pound and sliced ham, 90 cents a pound.

Lard brought 30 cents a pound on the market today and butter sold for 80 cents a pound. Watercress and dandelion greens were again plentiful on the market, selling for 10 and 15 cents a quart box. A few onions were offered at 10 cents a bunch.

**Flowers Available**  
Bunches of spring flowers sold at various prices, mostly about 25 cents a bunch, for daffodils and mixed bouquets of daffodils and old-fashioned hyacinths. There were also bunches of bluebells and other flowers for sale.

One vendor had pansy plants for sale at ten cents a plant or 75 cents a dozen, with plenty of earth around them ready for setting out. Some gladioli bulbs were offered at 20 cents a quart box. Cabbage plants were 20 cents a dozen.

Apples remained the same at 50 cents a half peck or \$3 to \$3.50 a bushel. Varieties included Jonathan, Delicious, Stayman, Rome Beauty and York Imperial.

Sweet cream was 35 cents a pint; potato salad 20 cents a pint and cottage cheese 20 cents a pint. Pies sold for 40 cents each and cookies 25 cents a dozen.

## TEACHERS HOLD ANNUAL DINNER

The annual dinner of the Gettysburg branch of the Pennsylvania State Educational Association was held Friday evening at the parish hall in Two Taverns. Over 60 teachers, retired teachers, substitute teachers, school directors, wives and guests were served a chicken dinner by members of the Ladies Aid society of Grace Lutheran church.

Miss Mary I. Hartman, president of the local organization, served as toastmistress. Vocal selections were rendered by Edna Nicholas, with Richard B. Shade, music supervisor, furnishing the piano accompaniment. Dr. Lloyd C. Keefeauver, superintendent of schools, made remarks appropriate to the occasion.

The banquet tables were adorned with spring flowers, candles, and green-covered booklets containing designs of Pennsylvania Dutch motifs. The booklets were designed by Richard Krick, supervisor of art. Following the dinner the group went to the high school library where games and cards furnished entertainment for the remainder of the evening.

Serving on the committee of arrangements were Miss Beatrice O. Pfeffer, Fred P. Hahnel, Robert C. Diehl, Miss Helen R. Keefeauver, Miss Mildred M. Stoner, Miss Mabelle Hereter and Miss Dorothy M. Boyer.

## Hospital Report

Paul Settle, 54, Seven Stars, an employee of the state highway department, was treated for a laceration of the left leg at the Warner hospital. He was injured Thursday when his leg became caught between a tractor and pipe.

Admissions included Mrs. Oren Cook, York Springs R. 2; Alonzo Pheabus, Union Bridge, Md.; Roland Baltzley, Gettysburg R. 3; Mrs. Thomas Eckenrode, Taneytown, and Mrs. Louis Leist, Littlestown R. 1. Those discharged were Michael Powers, Philadelphia; Mrs. Joseph Spangler, Littlestown; Merle Rees, Spencer, W. Va., and Mrs. Carl Hansen and infant son, Carl Brooks, Union Bridge.

## Recreation Association Buys Warner Property As Site For Memorial Park And Playground

### Local Artists Please At League Benefit

An audience of about 150 persons enthusiastically received a concert of vocal and piano music by local artists Friday evening in the chapel of St. James Lutheran church. The affair was sponsored by Mrs. C. A. Sloot's group of the Woman's League for the benefit of the music department at Gettysburg college.

The singers were Mrs. Clarence O. Bartholomew, contralto; Mrs. Victor Carlson, mezzo-soprano, and Eden Nicholas, baritone. The piano selections were by Richard B. Shade who also accompanied the vocalists. Spring flowers were used in the chapel decorations for the evening. A silver offering was received.

## COUNCIL MARKS ANNIVERSARY

St. Ignatius Parish Council of the National Council of Catholic Women held its April meeting in the form of a dinner in the celebration of the tenth anniversary of its organization at the Battlefield hotel, Gettysburg, Thursday evening. The business session followed the dinner with the president, Miss Catherine E. Miller, presiding. The opening prayer to "Our Lady of Good Counsel" was given by the pastor, the Rev. Fr. Louis J. Yeager.

The minutes of the first meeting of the organization were read by the secretary, Miss Betty Hall. The Deaneary president, Miss Marie Carbaugh, of New Oxford, was the guest speaker. She welcomed Fr. Yeager into the deaneary and complimented the council for its excellent work accomplished during the past ten years. She also spoke on the Cane Conference which is to be held at St. Joseph's Academy, in McSherrystown, Sunday, May 16.

Fr. Yeager explained that the National Council of Catholic Women has the full support of the bishops. He recommended that women be faithful, loyal and dutiful to the church.

Miss Miller explained that the purposes of the NCCW are to stimulate the study of Christian principles and to encourage action in accordance with those principles. She also thanked the women for their cooperation during the past and encouraged them to continue their efforts. Mrs. Virgie Hall presented several piano selections during the evening.

Mrs. Genevieve Oyler reported that she has secured materials necessary to roll bandages for the medical missions and that the work will be done Thursday afternoon, May 6, in the parish hall.

Mrs. Oyler and Mrs. Grace Kump, the parish nominating committee, gave the report and the election will take place at the next meeting which will be held Thursday evening, May 20, at the home of Mrs. Virgie Hall.

## William W. Myers, Ill 10 Years, Dies

William W. Myers, 63, Biglerville R. 1, died at his home in Butler township Friday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock from a complication of diseases following an illness of 10 years.

He was a native of Adams county, a son of the late Charles E. and Eva (Firestone) Myers, and was a farmer.

Surviving are his widow, the former Phoebe Chronister; two daughters, Mrs. Anna Irene Mummet, New Oxford R. 1, and Mrs. Mabel Elizabeth Warren, York Springs; four sons, Charles W., East Berlin R. 2; John W., Hampton; Ray E., Biglerville, and Roy E., Gettysburg R. 4; 10 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren, and one sister, Mrs. Mabel Chronister, East Berlin.

Funeral services Monday at 1:30 p. m. from the Pittenturf funeral home, York Springs, conducted by the Rev. Elmer Drumm. Interment in the Hampton cemetery. Friends may call Sunday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock at the funeral home.

## Will Omit Senior Canteen Tonight

There will be no Senior canteen program at the Gettysburg recreation center in the Hotel Gettysburg annex this evening, the recreation board announced, due to the Girl Scout dance scheduled to start at 8 o'clock.

The Junior canteen from 7 o'clock until 9 o'clock will be held however.

## SCARLET FEVER

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Kessel, Berwick township, was quarantined Friday night by County Sanitarian William I. Shields for scarlet fever. A daughter, Dixie Lee Kessel, 8, a student at Green Springs school, is ill with the disease.

Purchase of the old Warner property, a 34-acre section lying in the southwestern section of the town, by the Gettysburg Recreation association was announced today by Richard A. Brown, chairman of the property committee, and William E. "Johnny" Knox, co-chairman.

The irregularly shaped property extends from the Catholic cemetery on the north, to lands of William Johns on the south, from the Warner hospital and the Arctic Locker plant on the east to government land on the west.

According to a quit-claim deed filed Friday afternoon with the county register and recorder, the property was secured from Mary Slonaker and Gertrude and Pharis R. Hershey, Evanston, Ill., for \$360.

Elmer W. Warren, president of the borough recreation association, said that the association hopes to be able to install a baseball diamond and some pieces of playground equipment, such as swings and slides there.

The final plan of the recreation association in connection with this plot of ground is to develop a complete recreation center there to be in the form of a memorial park dedicated to the memory of the men and women of Gettysburg who are war veterans.

"We hope to develop a regular park, with playground and other facilities, tennis courts, baseball diamonds, with landscaping, tables and fireplaces and the like. Eventually we hope to construct there a large building for indoor activities during winter months."

"The development of the park will progress as funds are made available. It will develop as rapidly as the people of the town wish it to grow, for local contributions will provide for the establishment of the various facilities there," Warren said today.

## FIRST NATIONAL OBSERVES 91ST ANNIVERSARY

That Adams county's growth during the past century has been tremendous is brought to mind by observance this week of the 91st birthday of the First National Bank of Gettysburg.

The history of the county's banks, how they developed from one room businesses dealing with the few dollars available to countians at that time to large establishments with resources running into the millions of dollars is a testimony to the magnificent development not only of the county but the country.

The nation and the county have grown far wealthier, far more prosperous, in the last century than could have been conceived by the men who lived in that day. And the standards of comfort and living available today to the poorest man are far in advance of the finest standard of a century ago. Grandfather had his house—but it was cold in winter and full of flies in summer. He had his horse and wagon. Today there are cars that exceed in comfort anything known a century ago. Grandfather had the flickering kerosene lamp and the gas light. Electricity and natural gas provide more light, and more of other conveniences to all today.

**Reflect Prosperity**  
And that growth is reflected in the development of the county's banks which act as a barometer of the prosperity of the county. The First National bank, since it had its anniversary this week, can act as an example.

When the men who established the local institution started off on April 11, 1857, they advertised that they had \$10,000 in original deposits. By December 31, 1857, the bank showed assets of \$254,540.17, a large increase but nothing compared to the assets listed by the bank today.

Interestingly enough the figures for the resources of the bank show that a greater portion of the growth of this section has come within the past 30 or so years.

**Large Increase**  
The statement of December 31, 1918, right after World War I, showed resources of \$1,546,850.10 for the bank. That was about six months before Edmund W. Thomas came to the First National. On the anniversary of the bank this year the statement of the condition of the establishment showed assets of \$5,199,606.03. That shows a great increase in the bank during that period, but it also shows tremendous growth on the part of the county during that time, for banks reflect the growth and development of the community they serve.

The oldest cliché in the Latin language records that different times have different customs and the banks of Adams county are a good example of that.



## GUARD PEACE ON ELECTION EVE IN ITALY

By FRANK O'BRIEN

Rome, April 17 (AP)—Italy's interior minister held out a threat today to suspend this week-end's fateful election "if the liberty of the vote should be compromised."

The election tomorrow and Monday, seating the first parliament of the Italian republic, will test whether Italy is to line up with Russia or the west.

A popular front led by the Communists has striven to oust a moderate coalition government under the Christian Democrats.

Public security forces variously announced as between 300,000 and 400,000 guarded the election-eve peace the country over today.

### Repeat Fraud Charge

Mario Scelba, whose interior ministry controls police, said in his last campaign speech here last night: "The government will be on the watch. If the liberty of the vote should be compromised, it would not hesitate to take the most radical measures, even the suspension of the elections."

He repeated his oft-made charge that Genoa's Communist mayor had issued 30,000 false voting certificates, three to Soviet employees of the Genoa Russian consulate.

But he said the government's recent show of strength had "removed fear" from the minds of Italians. He said measures have been taken "to assure that the election will take place in an atmosphere of freedom."

The speechmaking campaign ended, apparently in peace, last night and a 32-hour pre-election cooling-off period began under a cabinet decree forbidding further political meetings.

## Chemists To Meet Here On Thursday

The April meeting of the Southeastern Pennsylvania section of the American Chemical Society will be held in Gettysburg next Thursday.

There will be a dinner at Huber hall on the college campus at 6:30 o'clock followed by the regular meeting at 8 p. m. in the chemistry lecture room in the science building.

Dr. A. K. Graham, a member of the firm of Graham, Crowley and Associates, Inc., Philadelphia, consulting electro-chemists and engineers, and executive secretary of the American Electroplating Society will speak on "Electroplating Today."

Dr. J. B. Zinn, Gettysburg, is chairman of the southeastern section.

## Presbyterians To Exchange Pulpits

Taking part in an annual exchange of pulpits throughout Carlisle Presbytery on Sunday morning, the Rev. Robert M. Hunt, pastor of the local Presbyterian church, will preach in the Waynesboro church while the pulpit of the local church will be occupied by the Rev. Harry S. Ecker, pastor of the Lower Marsh Creek Presbyterian church.

The Rev. Mr. Ecker's pulpit will be filled by the Rev. Warren S. Reeve of Newville.

## Tax Collector Files His Annual Report

New Oxford Tax Collector H. B. Millar collected a total of \$25,360.20 in taxes during the past year, his annual report filed with the county clerk of courts revealed today.

The collections were as follows: borough tax, \$7,395.83; school tax, \$13,150.48; county tax, \$3,802.54 and institution district tax, \$1,011.35. The collector received a salary of \$810.22 according to the report.

### PHI BETA KAPPA MEMBER

H. McCrea Dickson, West Broadway, a senior at Gettysburg college, was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, an honorary scholastic fraternity, at a recent meeting of the local chapter.

### ARRESTED FRIDAY NIGHT

Borough police at 10:30 o'clock Friday night arrested John Hoffman, Gettysburg, on a disorderly conduct charge in Center square. He was placed in jail and will have a hearing later today before Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore.

## Coming Events

April 18—Skolovsky piano concert.  
April 24—April court term opens.  
April 25—Town goes on Daylight Saving Time.

April 27—The Gettysburg Times Cooking School.  
April 27—Beta Sigma Phi Founder's Day banquet.

April 27—Primary election.  
April 29—Local PCBL anniversary dinner.

May 6—Dedication of new seminary library.  
May 12—DAR awards assembly at high school.

June 1—Tall Cedars of Lebanon parade.  
June 20—Annual convention of Adams County Council of Christian Education.

June 24-25—Fire company food sale and bazaar.  
Sept. 15-18—South Mountain Fair.

## Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

Mrs. Marie Ziegler entertained members of the Friday Night club Friday evening at her home on East Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. Edna Mundorf, Steinwehr avenue, and Miss Edith Wright, East Middle street, are visiting in Philadelphia and Camden, N. J., over the week-end.

Mrs. P. J. McGlynn entertained members of the Bandar-Log club Friday evening at her home in Biglerville.

The Dorcas society of Christ Lutheran church will meet Monday evening at the home of Mrs. George Steckel, 207 Baltimore street, with Mrs. Glenn Weiland as associate hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bigham, East Middle street, will spend the week-end in York as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stock, Alexandria, Va., are visiting Mr. Stock's mother, Mrs. Charles Stock, Harrisburg street.

Mrs. William VanOrmer, Schellsburg, Pa., is a week-end guest of Mrs. Marie Ziegler, East Lincoln avenue.

## Property Transfers

Ruth H. Bigham, executor of Mary H. Bigham, Gettysburg, sold to Donald E. and Agnes R. Schriver, Gettysburg, for \$9,250, a property on East High street.

Edward R. and Helen N. Sneed, McSherrystown, sold to Ervin L. Rabenstein and Mary Ellen Reynolds, Hanover, for \$3,250, a property on the north side of Main street in McSherrystown.

Fred W. and Viola E. Green, Cumberland township, sold to B. R. Nicholson, Richard, Va., for \$20, a one acre property in Cumberland township.

George E. and Mable R. Boyer, Gettysburg, sold to Lloyd W. and Mary L. Garretson, Arendtsville, for \$300, a seven-acre property in Arendtsville.

Sell G. and Anna Fidler, Aspers R. 1, sold to Clyde and Robert Pannebacker, Chester Springs, for \$2,000, a 222-acre property in Tyrone township.

M. W. and Agnes R. Klinefelter, Cumberland township, sold to George W. and Lottie M. Rebert, Gettysburg, for \$500, a tract in Cumberland township.

Ivan D. and Esther E. Shanesbrook, Gettysburg, sold to Leo F. and Anna M. McDermitt, same place, a property on the north side of Hanover street, Gettysburg.

Ernest E. and Dolores M. Drayner, Germany township, sold to Sterling and Anna S. Lescalet, Keymar, Md., for \$6,000, a 10-acre property in Germany and Mt. Joy townships.

Peter N. and Lydia J. Shetter, Biglerville, sold to Herbert C. and Mabel M. Miller, Menallen township, for \$3,500 a two-acre property in Menallen township.

## Give High School Exams On May 14

Five hundred and seventy pupils in sixth and eighth grades in Adams county will undergo examinations May 14, for entrance into junior and senior high schools of the county.

J. Floyd Slaybaugh, county superintendent of schools, announced today that examinations were given for junior high school entrance, but since there are now four junior highs in the county it was decided to begin junior high tests this year.

Three hundred and sixty-three sixth graders are to take junior high tests and 297 are scheduled to take senior high tests.

## Held For Court In Franklin County

John Robert Creager, 25, of Fairfield R. 1, arrested by state police on charges of leaving the scene of an accident and driving without an operator's license, was arraigned Friday afternoon before Justice of the Peace Merle McClain, Blue Ridge Summit. He paid a fine of \$10 and costs on the charge of driving without a license, and posted \$300 bail for Franklin county court on the other charge.

Creager's arrest was the result of a state police investigation of an accident near Blue Ridge Summit March 27 when the automobile of Luther Sachs, Locust avenue, was sideswiped by a car which failed to stop. State police said Creager was the driver of the car. His brother, Mark Creager, Chairman, owner of the car, was charged with failing to obtain a Pennsylvania certificate of title. He will receive a 10-day notice.

## PAYS FINE OF \$25

David Conner, Chambersburg R. 6, charged by state police of the Gettysburg sub-station with failure to apply for a title for his automobile, paid a fine of \$25 and costs to Justice of the Peace John Gillan, Chambersburg.

## PAYS \$5 FINE

Stewart Shinn, 34, of 235 Chambersburg street, arrested Friday by borough police on a disorderly conduct charge, paid a fine of \$5 and costs to Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore.

## Engagement

Miller—Horn

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Horn, York, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Gloria Doris, to Thomas B. Miller, Jr., York, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Miller, East Berlin. The wedding will take place in the near future. The bride-elect, a graduate of York high school, is employed by Centry Ribbon Mills, Inc. Mr. Miller is employed at the York Blueprint company.

John H. Becker, 49, of York, arrested late Thursday by York police at the request of state police of the Gettysburg sub-station on a charge of stealing money from the home of Earl Miller, New Oxford R. 1, was charged Friday afternoon before Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder with larceny and burglary, signed a plea of guilty and was held for sentence court. He was remanded to jail.

## Admits Stealing From His Cousin

Miller had reported to state police that various sums had been missing from time to time from his "egg money," kept in the drawer of a desk at his home. He is employed in Hanover and away at work during the day. He kept a list of serial numbers of bills in the desk, and when Becker was arrested, police said, three of these bills were found on him. Suspicion pointed to him when he had been seen near the Miller home. Becker is Miller's cousin.

There were several visitors present from the Hanover Auxiliary. A special meeting will be held April 22 for the initiation of new members. The president appointed Anna Blocher chairman of the coupon committee. Irene Redding, the outgoing president thanked the members for their co-operation. Dorothy Grogg, newly elected president of the Hanover auxiliary, invited the local auxiliary to attend their installation on April 29.

To Send Flowers  
The guess package contributed by Mrs. Anna Blocher was received by Mrs. Evelyn Stately. It was voted to send flowers to the gold star mother members of the organization on Mother's Day. Elva Weaver was elected to represent the local group on the pilgrimage to the National Home, Eaton, Michigan, on May 14.

The Rev. Frank E. Reynolds, East King street, and Walter F. Crouse, near town, spent Friday at Camp Michaux, near Pine Grove Furnace which is the Christian Education camp leased by the Evangelical and Reformed and Presbyterian churches.

At Teachers' Banquet  
The following from Littlestown and vicinity attended the Adams County Branch of the PSEA spring banquet in Fairfield on Thursday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kump, Mr. and Mrs. Orville C. Sentz, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baschore, John Riley, Mervin A. Miller, Miss Ruth Rebert, Mrs. Esther Wolfe and Mrs. Naomi Schwartz. A turkey dinner was served.

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A committee to make arrangements for celebration of the 85th anniversary of Lincoln's Gettysburg address and the dedication of the National cemetery here November 19 was appointed Friday evening at the regular meeting of the local camp of the Sons of Union Veterans.

Named to the committee were T. J. Weinbrenner, commander of the camp, Dr. Joseph H. Riley and G. Henry Roth. The committee was given power to make additional appointments to the group.

Henry T. Biddle reported on the Appomattox dinner held recently by the Sons of Veterans, Ladies of the GAR and Auxiliary of the SUV. Commander Weinbrenner presided.

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The Rev. Kehr was graduated from Gettysburg seminary in 1937, served under the Board of American Missions until 1939, was pastor of Rebersburg Lutheran church from 1939 to 1943 and went to Rossville from Christ's English Evangelical Lutheran church, Bridgeton, N. J. He has been serving Rossville charge since April 1.

DANCE THIS EVENING  
An "April Showers" dance will be given at the high school tonight from 8:30 until 11:30 p. m., sponsored by the Senior Service Society. The Collegians will furnish music. A program of entertainment will be given during intermission.

GUEST AT TEA  
Miss Julia Yost, Biglerville, was a guest this afternoon at a tea at the Reformed church, Mechanicsburg, in honor of Mrs. Emma Campbell Cocklin, Delaborg R. D. who is a candidate for the title of Pennsylvania's mother of the year. Mrs. Cocklin's daughter, Miss Emma Cocklin, and Miss Yost were roommates at Wittenberg college, Ohio.

Lee Merriman, Waynesboro, will be the entertainer Monday evening at a Boys' and Girls' Night to be held by the local Rotary club at 6 o'clock in the Presbyterian church hall.

## Littlestown AUXILIARY OF VFW INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

Mrs. Eva Boose, past president of Hanover Auxiliary No. 2505 served as the installing officer for the new-ly elected and appointed officers of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Mason and Dixon Memorial Post No. 6954, VFW, at a special meeting held in the post home, West King street, on Thursday evening.

The following elected officers were installed: president, Louise Sentz; senior vice president, Jean Yealy; junior vice president, Helen Wisotzky; conductress, Helen Jacobs; chaplain, Evelyn Stately; guard, Ottilie Weaver; treasurer, Malva Dutera and trustee for three years, Anna Blocher. These appointive officers were also installed: secretary, Elva Weaver; patriotic instructor, Mabel Newman; color bearers, Dorothy Hull, Violet Knight, Ruth Sentz and Mary Wintrobe; historian, Helen DeHoff; and pianist, Louise Dutera.

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## Upper Communities

Romaine Starnes, Aspers R. 1, has gone to Philadelphia where she will spend several days with friends and relatives including her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Topper. Later in the week she will go to Margate, N. J., to visit her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bianchi.

Don Trostle's orchestra instead of that of Bill Sanders will play for the Biglerville high school student council "Rainbow Frolic" this evening at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium.

Peter Shetter, Biglerville, has sold a property at Arendtsville, to Herbert Miller, of Arendtsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Kane have as guests over the week-end at their home near Arendtsville Mrs. Joseph I. Martin, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., and Mrs. R. I. Smith, and son, Mike, and daughter, Susan, Indiana, Pa.

The Rev. and Mrs. Hiram Trostle and daughter, Judith, and son, Ronald, Lykens, and Mrs. Trostle's mother, Mrs. Colan, of New York city, were dinner guests Friday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar C. Rice, Sr., Biglerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Deardorff, Hanover, visited Mr. Deardorff's grandmother, Mrs. George Deardorff, Biglerville, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stoner, Biglerville, and Mr. Stoner's brother-in-law and sister, Rev. and Mrs. Harry Weber, Harrisburg, are spending the week-end in Pittsburgh as the guests of Mr. Stoner's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Houck are entertaining over the week-end at their home in Biglerville Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Fargo, Batavia, N. Y., who are on a trip through the south and middle west.

Miss Jean Garretson, a student at Shippensburg State Teachers' college, is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd W. Garretson, Arendtsville, for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Martin and daughter, Ellen, Cumberland, are spending the week-end with Mrs. Martin's mother, Mrs. Richard C. Walton, Biglerville.

Mrs. Charles L. Yost, Biglerville, was a guest at a luncheon today at Graeffenburg inn by the junior past matrons and present matrons of District 14 of the Order of Eastern Star in honor of the district deputy grand matron, Mrs. Edna Kline.

Lester Musselman has returned to the Dextereux school, Devon, after spending several weeks with his mother, Mrs. C. H. Musselman, Biglerville. Mrs. Musselman and her daughter, Mrs. L. Musselman Arnold, accompanied him on the trip.

Annual Supper In  
Valley On April 24  
A Ham and Egg Supper for the benefit of the Church of Saint Ignace Loyola in Buchanan Valley will be served in the Parish Hall on Saturday, April 24, from 5 to 8:30 p. m. An interesting program is being arranged to be presented in the hall after all suppers have been served. The Ham and Egg Supper is an annual affair in Buchanan Valley and always attracts many persons from neighboring communities.

purpose of swimming. They were accompanied by committeemen Luther Snyder and Charles Ritter. Following the reports, games were played. The next meeting will be held Wednesday, April 21, at 7 o'clock.

Lions Enjoy Show  
The Littlestown Lions club held a dinner meeting in Banker's restaurant on Thursday evening. There were eight visitors: Lions Gywer, Chaudron, Foxwell and Kindt from the up-town Baltimore Lions club and Lions Chambers, Keith, Murray and Miland from the Georgetown club, Washington. Following the dinner they went to the Littlestown high school auditorium, where the sophomore class of the high school entertained them with a minstrel.

Leon Gage served as interloper, while Harold Hockensmith, Gene Hankey, Everett Feaser, Kenneth Rice, Robert Harner and Glenn Crouse served as end men. The specialties included a tap dance by the Misses Eleanor Harner and Evelyn Anthony; vocal solo, "Red Sails in the Sunset" by Miss Shirley Shilt; a comic musical act by Miss Bernice Plunkert who sang, "I'm My Own Grandpa"; duet, "Now is the Hour" by the Misses Gloria Warner and Eloise Yealy and Richard Boyd sang, "Al Jolson's Mammy."

Following the minstrel, there was a directors' meeting when \$10 was voted to the cancer drive. It was announced that glasses had been purchased for a local boy, who will also receive further treatment in the Wills Eye hospital, Philadelphia. The club decided to form a softball team and join the local league. Clayton Evans was named captain and Erwin A. Rebert was named co-captain. The next meeting will be held May 6 when the Sight Conservation and Blind committee consisting of Ralph L. Stately, Charles E. Lemmon and Sterling J. Wisotzky will have charge.

## Accepts Position On School Staff

Miss Florence Adam, Glenside, Pa., has accepted the position of girls' health and physical education instructor at the Gettysburg high school for the 1948-1949 term, it was announced today by Dr. L. C. Kee-fauver, superintendent of schools.

Miss Adams is a graduate of the Philadelphia high school for girls and in June will graduate from Ursinus college. She has done her student teaching in the Norristown schools.

She will succeed Miss Rose V. Penny who has resigned, effective at the end of the current school year, to accept a position in New York.

The pallbearers were Donald Boyer, William Lott, John Lott, William Beidler, Donald Scott and John McIlhenney.

## DEATHS

Bury Miss Lott

Funeral services were held this morning at 10 o'clock from the Bender funeral home for Miss Martha Alice Lott, 252 Baltimore street, who died Wednesday morning. The Rev. Robert M. Hunt officiated. Interment in Evergreen cemetery.

The pallbearers were Donald Boyer, William Lott, John Lott, William Beidler, Donald Scott and John McIlhenney.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Cook, York Springs R. 2, announce the birth of a daughter at the Warner hospital this morning.

## Famous World

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Falling into the hands of a mischievous counsellor in English "as she is spoken," they did not wholly escape American slang. One of their earliest acquisitions in that category was "you are kidding." Upon being told that he was wrong in pronouncing "hiding" as if it were "hidding" Dr. Nygren's instant rejoinder was "I was kidding."

"Good language," Dr. Nygren now says jovially, after rehearsals have made the correct pronunciation of a difficult word or phrase come spontaneously.

Dr. Nygren, the seminary has found, is unassuming, humble and forthright. He is a combination of positive conviction and tolerant gentleness. When issues arise he shows himself firm without losing in politeness and consideration.

Enjoyed Apartment  
Dr. and Mrs. Nygren lived for a time as guests of seminary families. Later a seminary apartment was placed at their disposal.

"This is the first time in the 27 years of our married life that we live alone," they say. "From the first we had some of our relatives with us, and one by one our four children joined the family circle."

Mrs. Nygren, during her stay here, has been occupied with the translation of her husband's "Commentary on Romans" into German. She is a scholar in her own right and knows theology and is quite capable of discussing it.

It was through similar interests in scholarship that the Nygrens first met. For six years after the completion of his preparation for the ministry, Dr. Nygren was the bachelor pastor of a country parish in southern Sweden. In 1919 he took into his home a German boy, one of the thousands to whom the Scandinavian countries gave relief from Germany's postwar destitution.

Questioned Some Issues  
During those years Dr. Nygren was at work on his doctor's dissertation. Certain issues had arisen on which he could not agree with Troeltsch, the famous Berlin theologian and author so Nygren planned to go to Germany to seek an interview.

When the family of the young German in the Nygren home learned of this, they expressed their appreciation to this Swedish pastor by inviting him to their home. Accepting the invitation, Dr. Nygren there became acquainted with a daughter of the family. She was herself studying theology in Berlin. Because the visitor was not too confident as to his use of the German language, the young lady helped him to formulate the issues he wished to discuss with Professor Troeltsch. Less than two years later, after Dr. Nygren had successfully defended his thesis and been appointed "docent" at the University of Lund, this young lady became Mrs. Nygren.

Worked On Translation  
While Mrs. Nygren has been busy on the translation, Dr. Nygren has been steadily occupied with the lectures he is to deliver in America and with the preparations for responsibilities that await him upon his return to Lund.

The first three days of 1948 were memorable in the Nygren family history. On January 1 the family gathered for the announcement of the engagement of their elder son. On the next day, in the Gothenberg cathedral in which Dr. Nygren was ordained in 1912, their younger daughter and her husband were commissioned for foreign missionary service in Tanganyika. On January 3 Dr. and Mrs. Nygren sailed for the United States.

Dr. Nygren is the author of many notable books. The best known are "Agape and Eros," published in 1930

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## NEW OXFORD AND BOLLING SPRINGS MAKE OPENERS

Won	Lost	Pct.
Bolling Springs	1	0
New Oxford	1	0
Berlin	0	0
Weston	0	0
Biglerville	0	1
Big Springs	0	1

**Tuesday's Games**  
Bolling Springs at East Berlin.  
Bolling Springs at Biglerville.  
New Oxford at Littlestown.

New Oxford and Bolling Springs made their opening games in the York County Scholastic Baseball League Friday afternoon while East Berlin and Littlestown played to a tie at East Berlin.  
Gene Mechtley gave Biglerville two hits as New Oxford won a decision on the Cannons' diamond. The New Oxford hurler whiffed 13 batters and walked but one. Bolling Springs bunched eight to gain a 12-1 victory over York County. Sylvester, who pitched the first three innings for the Bubbler and received credit for the victory, whiffed 13 batters.

Boiling Springs	ab	r	h	o	a
Miller, c	5	3	2	2	0
Miller, lb	4	3	0	2	3
Miller, 2b	0	0	0	0	0
Bream, cf	4	1	1	1	1
Pitzer, p	0	0	0	0	1
Byrum, p	2	1	0	5	0
Byrum, ss	4	2	2	1	1
Miller, 3b	4	1	3	0	0
Miller, rf	3	0	0	0	0
Miller, lf	1	0	0	0	0
Miller, cf	4	0	1	0	0
Miller, lf	1	1	0	0	0
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Miller, lf	1	0	0	0	0

York Springs	ab	r	h	o	a
Miller, lb	3	0	0	2	1
Guise, 2b	0	0	0	0	0
Miller, cf	2	0	0	3	0
Miller, lb	3	0	1	1	0
Guise, p	3	1	1	1	0
Miller, c	3	0	2	7	0
Miller, lf	3	0	1	1	0
Miller, 3b	3	0	1	1	2
Miller, ss	2	0	1	0	1
Guise, lf	1	0	0	0	0
Miller, rf	2	0	0	1	0
Miller, lf	1	0	0	0	0

Totals 26 1 6 18 3  
Batted for Kinney in 3rd.  
Batted for Shaffer in 6th.  
Batted for Wishard in 7th.  
Batted for Marshall in 7th.  
Bolling Springs 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1  
Bolling Springs 4 3 0 3 2 0 x—12  
Home run, Bear. Winning pitcher, Bream.

Biglerville	ab	r	h	o	a
Miller, cf	2	0	0	0	0
Miller, cf	0	1	0	0	0
Miller, cf	3	0	1	1	0
Miller, 3b	2	0	0	2	2
Miller, ss	3	0	0	1	1
Miller, rf	3	0	1	0	1
Miller, lf	2	0	0	1	0
Miller, lf	1	0	0	0	0
Miller, lf	2	0	0	0	0
Miller, lf	0	0	0	0	1
Miller, lf	2	0	0	0	0
Miller, lf	2	0	0	0	0
Miller, lf	1	0	0	0	0

New Oxford	ab	r	h	o	a
Miller, 2b	2	1	1	2	4
Miller, cf	3	1	1	0	0
Miller, rf	4	1	1	0	0
Miller, c	4	0	0	13	1
Miller, p	3	2	1	0	0
Miller, 3b	4	0	1	2	0
Miller, lf	2	1	1	0	0
Miller, lf	1	0	0	0	0
Miller, lf	4	0	0	4	0
Miller, lf	2	0	0	0	0

Totals 29 6 6 21 4  
Batted for Gantz in 7th.  
Batted for Cluck in 7th.  
New Oxford 0 0 0 3 1 2—6  
Biglerville 0 0 0 0 1 0—1  
Errors, Biglerville, 4; New Oxford, 2.  
Two-base hits, Wentz, Mechtley.  
Double play, Wentz (unassisted).  
Bases on balls, off Pitzer, 3; Cluck, Mechtley, 1. Struck out, by Mechtley, 13; Pitzer, 9; Cluck, 1. Losing pitcher, Pitzer. Umpires, Schriver and Herman.

## Penn-Maryland Loop Rosters Presented

Representatives from all 10 teams in the Penn-Maryland Baseball League met Thursday evening in the engine hall, Taneytown. Each team presented its roster for the beginning of the season. Additional players may be added to the roster prior to July 4, when the roster closes.  
The season opens April 25 with the following schedule: Littlestown at Middleburg; Hanover at Blue Ridge Summit; Taneytown at McCherrytown; Harney at Emmitsburg; Wakefield at Thurmont. A supply of league schedules was given to each team.  
Fern Hitchcock, Taneytown, representing the Smith Sporting Goods company, Baltimore, presented the league with a large trophy, which is to be given to the pennant winners this year.  
Clair Worley, president, and Bernard Weaver, business manager of the Littlestown team, were the Littlestown representatives at this meeting.

## Next Week's Recreation Schedule

**HIGH SCHOOL**  
Monday, 3:45 p. m., high school age boys' softball.  
Tuesday, 3:45 p. m., high school age girls' softball.  
Wednesday, 3:45 p. m., volleyball for senior girls.  
Thursday, 8 p. m., adult night school.  
Friday, rain date for softball games.  
**HOTEL ANNEX**  
Monday through Wednesday, 3:45 to 5:15 p. m., free play.  
Thursday, 3:45 p. m. to 5:15 p. m., grade school girls activities; 7 p. m., Boy Scout night.  
Friday, 3:45 p. m., senior age girls' activities, junior canteen, 7 p. m.; senior canteen, 8:30 p. m.  
Saturday, 9:30 to 12 noon and 2 to 4 p. m., annex open for games; 7 to 9 p. m., junior canteen; 8:30 to 10:30 p. m., senior canteen.

## Sports Roundup

**By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.**  
Virginia Beach, Va., April 17 (AP)—There must be something sadistic about golf galleries. . . . Not only do they delight in watching the long hitters belabor a defenseless little white pellet, but nothing seems to delight the fans more than seeing one of the "name" stars get into trouble and out of it. . . . The select 15 who started yesterday in the Cavalier club's "specialists" tournament provided plenty of entertainment for comparatively few spectators in both respects. . . . The committee sent out the three players chosen for their long driving power—Jimmy Thomson, Chick Harbert and Lawson Little in one three some. . . . And within a few minutes this observer saw Bobby Locke drive one out of bounds and then have to chip out of a deep gully beside a green; Lew Worsham into the same gully and Harbert put on a woodchopping act after he had slammed a drive in among some pine trees.

**ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE**  
Chandler Harper, a local boy who made pretty good, probably has a bigger rooting section than any golfer in the current tournament. . . . Cecil Isbell, coach of the Baltimore Colts, was expected here today—and nobody knows whether he's looking for a passer or just a pass. . . . Manager Bruno Betzel of the Jersey City Giants told Richmond interviewers that Virgil Stallcup, the Reds' shortstop, is "the best ball player I've ever seen." . . .

**When Smiley Quick, ex-public links golf champ, fired a great 65 at the Fox Hills course in Los Angeles the other day, he missed an eagle two on one hole because his pitch lodged in the green half over the lip of the cup. . . . There ought to be some version of the "many a slip" saying in that. . . . Columbia's cismen, who have three new shells as well as a new coach this spring, are pulling two boats named for Rowing Lions who lost their lives in the war—Charles Froelich and John Domenich. . . . Open champion Lew Worsham missed a hole-in-one yesterday when his tee shot on the eleventh hole stopped barely a foot short of the cup. . . . Lew walked up and looked at the ball, then remarked to nobody in particular "Yep. Always under-clubbing."**

## Jockey Drops Dead On Arcadia Track

Arcadia, Calif., April 17 (AP)—The first major mishap in three seasons of grand circuit harness racing in California was entered on the books today.

Funeral arrangements were being made for Phillip H. Kirby, 62, of Blue Earth, Minn., who suffered a heart attack during the fifth race yesterday. Kirby, driving for the first time in the big time, fell off backwards from his sulky, apparently dead.

Veteran Foy Funderburk and his pacer, Steady Hal, piled into the restless Kirby sulky and both horses and driver were spilled. Funderburk was unhurt.

Grief stricken witnesses to the accident were Kirby's wife and 19-year-old daughter, Ann Terese. Kirby was driving the horse Eddie Josedale, owned by the Lesota Tool Co., Albert Lea, Minn., at the time.

## Utz Sets 2 Marks In Shippensburg Meet

Eddie Utz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Utz, Biglerville, snapped two Shippensburg State Teachers' college track records Friday as he won the 100- and 220-yard dashes in a triangular meet with Bloomsburg and Millersburg.

Utz raced the 100 in 9.75 seconds to break the old record of 9.8 set in 1936. The Biglerville speedster copped the 220 in 22 seconds to clip 2 of a second from the mark set in 1931.

Shippensburg won the meet with 110 points. Bloomsburg tallied 10 while Millersburg netted six.

## OLYMPIC MAT TEAMS APPEAR

**By TED SMITS**  
Hempstead, N. Y., April 17 (AP)—Two powerful contenders for the American Olympic wrestling team emerged today as the National Amateur Athletic Union Mat championship entered the final rounds. Oklahoma A. and M. is apparently assured of the team title.

Brightest individual performers are Henry Wittenberg, swarthy, genial 191 pound New York city detective yet to be defeated in more than 300 matches and Doug Lee of the Baltimore Y.M.C.A. in the 160.5 pound class.

Wittenberg has won six national championships and aims at setting a record by taking his seventh. He almost made another record by throwing Edward Feldman of Brooklyn in nine seconds. The mark for speed is five and one half seconds.

Lee has won five national titles and is on his way to his sixth with two falls and a victory by default.

Coach Art Griffith of Oklahoma A. and M. calls his mighty A.A.U. team the "left over." The boys competing here at Hofstra are those who have not yet qualified for the Olympic final tryouts.

## SOX BLAST TRIBE 19-6

Boston, April 17 (AP)—The Braves may present a different lineup today when they invade Fenway Park for another contest with the Red Sox but the revamped roster won't be in use because of the 19-6 thumping the tribe took yesterday.

Advance word is that southpaw Mickey Harris is going to hurl at least part of today's contest for the Sox. Bill Voiselle probably will be the tribe starter.

No team, particularly one selected by many experts and fans as the potential pennant winner, can be as bad as the tribe looked yesterday when the Sox pounded out 24 hits for 35 bases.

Ted Williams poled his first homer of the spring, a massive clout which dropped behind the center field wall some 400 feet from the plate.

First baseman Earl Torgeson and Sox pinch hitter Billy Hitchcock had a bit of a boxing match before players and umpires separated them. Both were banished. Hitchcock, sliding back to first to avoid being trapped after a rundown near second, collided with Torgy and both were in the dust.

## NCAA Interprets Its 'Sanity Code'

Chicago, April 17 (AP)—What constitutes a "needy" athlete and how much financial aid should he receive?

The three-member Compliance committee of the National Collegiate Athletic association says it is up to individual schools and conferences to decide. The group is holding a three day interpretation meeting on the NCAA's "sanity code" — machinery for clamping down on recruiting and subsidizing of athletes.

The committee emphasized at its opening session yesterday that financial assistance should be granted to needy athletes and students alike.

"We urge each school's officials to make the same examination of applications for aid by athletes they do for other students," said Clarence P. Houston of Tufts, chairman. "We can't presume to tell a membership of some 300 schools a definite method for determining need of athletes. They'll have to do that themselves."

## Fights Last Night

**(By The Associated Press)**  
Saginaw, Mich.—Leroy Willis, 134, Detroit, outpointed Bill Eddy, 134, Flint, 10.

Fall River, Mass.—Nick Stato, 135, Hartford, outpointed Ticky Melozzi, 137½, Newark, N. J., 10.

Topeka, Kas.—Wayne Strobbridge, 150, Colorado Springs, Colo., outpointed Kenny Barton, 158, Topeka, 8.

Atlantic City—Leroy Colema, 151½, Lodi, N. J., outpointed Primos Cutler, 150, Philadelphia, 8.

## Bullet Linksmen Down Haverford

Gettysburg college's golfers downed Haverford college here Friday afternoon, 7-2, for their first victory of the season. They tied Johns Hopkins in their other match.

Don Carrington, Gettysburg, shot the best medal score when he recorded at 67 on the par 68 Caledonia course west of here.

The summaries:  
George Yocum (74), Gettysburg and Tom Graff (76) halved.  
Walt Plantz (71) Gettysburg defeated Bill Rhodes (81), seven and six.

Best ball won by Gettysburg, 3 and 2.

Richard Dodds (74), Gettysburg, defeated Robert Shearer (76) three and two.

Don Carrington (67), Gettysburg, defeated Runcie Taitnall (76), five and four.

Best ball won by Gettysburg, five and four.

Jack Holcombe (81), Haverford, defeated Richard Kahler (82), one and two.

John Davies (82), Gettysburg, defeated Al Adams (84), two and one.

Best ball halved.

## Baseball Briefs

Washington, April 17 (AP)—Washington fans get their first look at the 1948 Senators today as the home club takes on the Baltimore International league Orioles at Griffith stadium.

Yesterday's 9-6 victory against the Philadelphia Phils made Washington pitching prospects look brighter.

Little Ramon Garcia, Cuban right-hander who showed up at spring training almost unannounced, worked three innings without allowing a hit.

Brooklyn, April 17 (AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers make their initial appearance of the season at Ebbets Field today entertaining the New York Yankees in the second game of their three game series.

The Yanks won the opener, 8-6 at the Yankee stadium yesterday with Charley Keller and Tommy Henrich highlighting the game by banging homers.

Cleveland, April 17 (AP)—Thornton Lee, veteran lefthander, is scheduled to pitch for the New York Giants today against his former Cleveland teammates. If Lee turns in a performance as good as his last one, he is almost a cinch to pitch the Giants' third game of the regular season.

Philadelphia, April 17 (AP)—One of the year's most talked about rookie pitchers, Curt Simmons, is slated to pitch for the Philadelphia Phillies against the Philadelphia Athletics today. The 19-year-old southpaw will be opposed by Carl Schieb as the two clubs meet for the third time this spring.

St. Louis, April 17 (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals, which many experts pick to finish first in the National league, and the St. Louis Browns, which even more experts pick to finish last in the American, open a two-game series at Sportsman's Park today.

Pittsburgh, April 17 (AP)—Pittsburgh Pirate officials expect 7,500 fans, weather permitting, to attend today's preview of the 1948 edition of the Pirates when they take on the Detroit Tigers. For the first time in the history of the club, the Pirates are ending their training season at home. Tiger Manager Steve O'Neill expects to use Dizzy Trout while Manager Billy Meyer of the Pirates plans to use Elmer Singleton.

## SOUTH PENN LOOP ROSTERS

The following rosters and umpires were approved for the coming season at a recent meeting of the South Penn Baseball league:  
Barlow—Chester Shriver, Glenn Harner, John Heiser, Jim Shampier, Addison Durbowaw, Ed Heiser, Harry Marling, Marlin Derr, Vernon Derr, Bob Brennan, Ray Finfrock, Ellwood Felix, Dale Witherow, Ed Heiser, Walter Swartz, John Brennan, manager, John Witherow, and umpire, Percell Ecker.

Bonneauville—Earl Christner, Francis Clabaugh, John Clabaugh, Joseph Clabaugh, Robert Clabaugh, John Eck, Paul Eck, Fred Golden, Leo Ginter, Gerald Hawn, Clem Hawn, Henry Hoffnagle, Robert Kebl, John Legore, Fred Orndorff, John Orndorff, Charles Shanebrook, Leroy Shanebrook, Bernard Sneeringer, Francis Sneeringer, Gerald Topper, Roger Weaver, Richard Weaver, John Christner, Francis Topper, manager, and umpires, Albert Hawn and Roy Shanebrook.

Brushtown—Pius Smith, John Smith, Clair Smith, Ralph Smith, Fred Huston, Richard Neiderer, Urban Rider, Paul Krichen, Robert Krichen, Norbert Weaver, William Brady, Thomas Gouker, Jacob Myers, Norman Sentz, Darl Ecker, Theron Coffman, John Krichen, Patrick Smith, William Roth, Robert Strausbaugh, Guy Lawrence, Harper Blair, Edward Krichen, Marcellus Weaver, Robert Moul and umpire, Joseph Sneeringer.

Cashtown—Homer Baltzley, Earl Baumgardner, Kenneth Biesecker, Harry Bream, Dale Bream, Donald Bucher, William Bucher, John Bucher, Melvin Chapman, Edward Coombs, Robert Goetz, Richard Hartman, John Hartman, James Herring, Jay Hershey, Eugene Kane, Floyd Kuhn, Kenneth Kuhn, Donald Kuhn, Floyd Kump, Ronald Kump, Wilmer Sharrath, John Singley, Charles Wagaman, John Keller, manager, and umpire, Dorsey A. Shultz.

Conewago VFW—John Stover, Robert Allison, Dody Allison, John Allison, James Spence, Marshall Heller, Fred Arnold, Robert Hartzell, Richard Pitzer, Elliot Schlosser, Mack Raffensperger, Bruce Raffensperger, Glenn Slaybaugh, Sterling Singley, William Lupp, Dan Bushman, Bert Wierman, Leroy Bolen, Fred Kane, Russell Kane, Glenn Bream, Clifford Hartzell, manager, and umpires, Alton Wierman and Jacob Herman.

Gettysburg—Ralph Johnson, William Ogden, Donald Baker, Mike Tate, Glenn Hankey, Abe Hankey, Charles Woodward, Nick Jones, Donald Waddell, John Ruffing, Max Sherman, Richard Knox, Donald Raffensperger, Bernard Cole, Bernard Frazer, Bob Saylor, Norman Decker, Ken Knox, manager, and umpire, John W. German.

Granite—Charles Heyser, Steve Heyser, Robert Epley, William Signore, Bob Gladhill, Richard Bixler, Dale McClell, John Griener, Eddie Teddes, Bob King, Mel King, Jake King, Tony Clapper, George Beamer, Clyde Sanders, Morris Bream, Paul Celye, Carl Hakey, Richard Miller, Bob Signore, Bob Heyser, Tim Sanders, Dale Taughinbaugh, Charles Snider, manager, and umpires, Brady Weikert and Lester Oyler.

Greenmount—John Fissell, Fred Riley, James Fissell, Edgar McDonnell, Walter Null, Richard Fissell, Raymond Fair, Robert Green, Harold Green, Dean Felix, Leslie Kennel, Allen McDonnell, Jr., Edgar Null, John Plank, Dale Hoffman, Bill Weikert, Bud Plank, George Fair, Kenneth Fair, McCunn, McGlaughlin, Douglas, George Kennel, manager, and umpires, Charles Lightner and James Donaldson.

Heidersburg—Edward Weigle, Jr., Robert Kennedy, Jr., George Weaver, Jr., Glenn Phillips, Jr., John Zepp, Jr., John Plaster, Jr., John Wirt, Jr., Robert Decker, Wayne Ecker, Richard Asper, Clyde Bricker, Carl Howe, Henry Byers, Robert Spertzel, Robert Miller, John Slaybaugh, Earl Bricker, Lawrence Guise, George Slaybaugh, Eugene Herring.

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## Exhibition Baseball Yesterday's Results

**(By The Associated Press)**  
Boston (A) 19, Boston (N) 6.  
New York (A) 8, Brooklyn (N) 6.  
Washington (A) 9, Philadelphia (N) 6.  
Cincinnati (N) 16, Syracuse (IL) 6.

Chicago (A) 4, Chicago (N) 1.  
New York (N) 15, Cleveland (A) 1.

Philadelphia (A) 14, Baltimore (IL) 8.

At Brooklyn: New York (A) vs. Brooklyn (N).

At Pittsburgh: Detroit (A) vs. Pittsburgh (N).

At Chicago: Chicago (N) vs. Chicago (A).

At Cleveland: New York (N) vs. Cleveland (A).

At Boston: Boston (A) vs. Boston (N).

At Philadelphia: Philadelphia (A) vs. Philadelphia (N).

At St. Louis: St. Louis (N) vs. St. Louis (A).

At Cincinnati: Syracuse (IL) vs. Cincinnati (N).

At Washington: Baltimore (IL) vs. Washington (A).

**Sutherland Will  
Provides For Trust**

Pittsburgh, April 17 (AP)—The late Dr. John Bain (Jock) Sutherland left an estate of from \$250,000 to \$500,000, a friend of the family estimated Friday.

His will was filed for probate here yesterday. Dr. Sutherland, football coach at the University of Pittsburgh 15 years and of the Pittsburgh Steelers for the past two years, died last Sunday after a brain tumor operation.

His will directs a trust fund to be established from three-fourths of his estate. It's earnings are to be divided equally among his mother and two sisters.

His mother, Mrs. Mary Sutherland, 90, lives with a daughter, Louisa, at Cooper Angus, Scotland, Dr. Sutherland's other sister, Marion, is a nurse residing in Pittsburgh.

**NEW PENN DEAN**  
Philadelphia, April 17 (AP)—Dr. E. Duncan Grizzell has been appointed dean of the school of education at the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. George McClelland, president, announced last night. Dr. Grizzell, professor of education at the University, will take office as dean on July when Dr. John H. Minnick, dean of the school of education since 1921, retires.

**MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL**  
**(By The Associated Press)**  
Yesterday's Scores  
American Association  
Milwaukee 12, Columbus 3.  
St. Paul 9, Toledo 6, 10 innings.  
Louisville 6, Minneapolis



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## Out Of The Past

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TEN YEARS AGO

**Easter Dawn Service:** The message of Easter challenges every Christian to recognize the resurrected Christ as teacher and then to go throughout the world and teach the scriptures to all nations, declared the Rev. Luther A. Gotwald, York street, in his sermon delivered at the annual Easter dawn service held in St. James Lutheran church Sunday morning at 6 o'clock. The auditorium was filled with worshippers.

The program included: Invocation, the Rev. Dr. N. B. S. Thomas; Scripture reading, the Rev. D. Perry Bucke; offering, Rev. Louis Bowers, solo, "The Holy City," Frederick Tilberg; prayer, Rev. W. A. Lausan, and benediction, the Rev. J. M. Myers.

Trumpet music was presented by Robert Hartman, Robert Miller and Maurice Fream. Prof. Charles Yost led the singing and the Rev. Robert B. Rau was the organist. Members of the Girl Reserves served as ushers. The service is sponsored by the Adams County Christian Endeavor union.

**Shears—Stottlemeyer:** Donald Edward Shears, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shears, of Gettysburg, and Miss June Catharine Stottlemeyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight F. Stottlemeyer, of York, were married at 4 p. m., Sunday, in St. Paul's United Evangelical church, York. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. S. Heffner, pastor.

Miss Dorothy Shears, of Gettysburg, was maid of honor.

**Hartman — Goodermuth:** Miss Mary Elizabeth Goodermuth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Goodermuth, Gettysburg R. 1, and Clark Noah Hartman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William N. Hartman, Biglerville R. 2, were united in marriage Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. George H. Berkheimer.

The attendants were Miss Margaret A. Moose, Biglerville R. D., and David S. Sanders, Littlestown.

**Starnes—Bricker:** Miss Alta Mae Bricker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bricker, of Quaker Valley, was united in marriage with Roland Welker Starnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Starnes, of Gardners R. 2, by Rev. H. W. Sternat, at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening in the Lutheran parsonage, Biglerville.

**Fidler — McCadden:** Hazel Mae McCadden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McCadden, of Highland township, and Guy Raymond Fidler, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Fidler, of Biglerville, were married by their pastor, the Rev. H. W. Sternat, at 4:30 p. m., Easter Sunday in Bender's Lutheran church.

The attendants were Miss Ruth Fidler and Paul Dugan.

The bridegroom is employed by Rice, Trew and Rice, of Biglerville.

**Kreitz — Manning:** Mrs. Marie Magdalene Manning, 59, South street, and J. Francis Kreitz, Emmitsburg, will be united in marriage Monday morning at 6:45 o'clock at a low mass conducted in St. Francis Xavier church by the Rev. Mark E. Stock.

The attendants will be Mr. and Mrs. William Kimple, Orrtanna.

**Sanders—Baker:** Miss Clara Virginia Baker, daughter of Mrs. James Sell, Iron Springs, and Leo Sanders, son of Harry Sanders, Iron Springs, were united in marriage Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock in St. Mary's Catholic rectory, Fairfield, by the Rev. Paul A. Gieringer, rector.

They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Francis Small, Gettysburg.

**Bream — Gochenauer:** Miss Mabel E. Gochenauer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey J. Gochenauer, Biglerville R. 1, and Roy A. Bream, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Bream, Gettysburg R. 5, were united in marriage Friday evening at 9 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Flora Dale.

The Rev. Dr. J. M. Myers, pastor of St. Luke's church, near Little-

## Today's Talk

### A SHUT-IN LEAGUE

Another Spring, God's Garden gates thrown open again! No other season so pregnant with beauty, hope and promise. As though the indoor School of Life had been dismissed and all turned out in the open to play. There are those, however, who have to "stay in"—who cannot romp and play, or walk the roads. Those who have to be still, bide their time—and wait.

In every community there are the shut-ins. Those who have experienced long weeks and months deprived of the blessings of earth's open area. The blue sky, the poetic clouds, the wind's touch, the call and song of birds, the fragrance of the air, the stir of things, movement, and the thrill of change—these are not given to the shut-ins. Yet there they are—patient, uncomplaining, and full of faith.

It seems to me that an excellent League could be formed in every community, and the names of all—whether in homes or hospitals—could be learned, and a plan created to see that every one got attention. Flowers, books, letters could be sent, for most of these shut-ins ask for nothing. But they have days of loneliness and soul hunger. I get many letters from shut-ins, and they are the most cheerful sort. They encourage me!

A weekly or monthly meeting could be called and this plan of helpfulness and cheer put into practical motion. A committee of callers could be organized and each one of these shut-ins visited regularly. There is nothing like a friend—to a shut-in. And nothing like a word of cheer and hope. I know of one shut-in who for years has kept a list of other shut-ins, to whom she has sent clippings and little gifts that she has made. I have never met her—but I know and love her for her kindly heart.

I know that there are many organizations that devote their time to these patient shut-ins. May God bless them all! But there is plenty of room for Community Shut-In Leagues. And every member would be enriched by this service. We really never learn what genuine happiness is until we start giving it away!

## Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST  
The Poet of the People

### QUATRINS The New Look

The new look not for long will stay.  
Time soon a change will bring,  
And then the wives once more will say:

"I can't wear that old thing!"

### Friends

A few true friends, and the skies stay bright,  
And the cares and burdens of life seem light.

A few true friends in what comes to share  
And the heart can manage its hurts to bear.

### Old Springtime Joke

One joke each spring my father had.  
I'm sure he thought it cute.  
"The buds," he'd say, "beware, my lad,  
For they've begun to shoot."

Spring in The North  
Crocus and tulip, according to plan,  
Now bursting forth.  
Green growing things. What's lovelier than  
Spring in the north?

### THE ALMANAC

April 18—Sun rises 5:18; sets 6:41.  
Moon sets 2:55 a. m.  
April 19—Sun rises 5:17; sets 6:42.  
Moon sets 3:29 a. m.

MOON PHASES  
April 23—Full moon.  
April 30—Last quarter.

own, performed the single ring ceremony.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Preston Baumgardner, of Fairfield.

**Opens Photo Shop:** Kenneth W. Johns has opened the Photo Shop, 14 Baltimore street, offering complete film service.

**Rice — Fohl:** Miss Hilda C. Fohl, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Fohl, Carlisle, and Lewis I. Rice, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Rice, Bendersville, were united in marriage Thursday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock in the First Lutheran church parsonage, Carlisle, by the Rev. Dr. A. R. Steck.

## BE READY!

Warm weather, the time for vacation jaunts as well as long business trips, is just ahead. Is your car ready to give you efficient service on these trips? Summer driving is grueling on any car, make sure yours is in condition to "take it."

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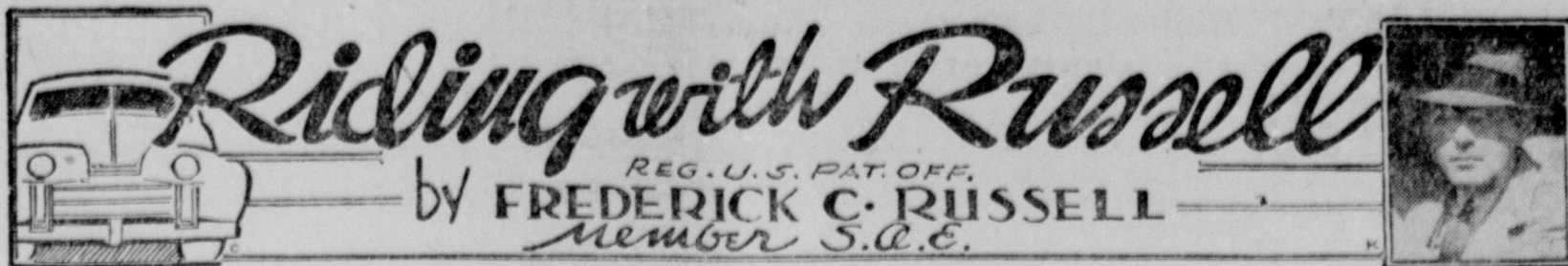
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Glaring headlights are blamed for a lot of things that are merely due to light heads.

### Overheating Ahead!

Now is the time for all-good owners of older models to concentrate on checking over that cooling system before it has a chance to go into a fever when the mercury shoots upward some fine day. Here's a little test you might like to make:

Drain off the whole system, including the block and the hot water heater. Check the instruction book to find out what the cooling capacity is, and add a quart for the hot water heater and hosing. Measure out this amount of water and refill the system. See if you can put into it the amount of water it is supposed to hold. Along toward the end of the refilling start up the engine and run it long enough so that the motor thermostat fully opens. If the system won't hold the original capacity the chances are that the block is loaded with scale and sediment which takes up space. In one case an owner found that a section of the repaired radiator had been blocked off.

### Picked Up En Route

Newest wrinkle in selling British made American makes of cars on this side of the Atlantic... Plan affords opportunities to obtain smaller cars easily serviced over here... You can cross off the belt operated motor fan as definitely outmoded, the electrically operated thermostatically controlled fan having already made its appearance... Return of the full balloon tire under a variety of names is one way of taking up overproduction of the conventional tire... There's a new trailer which can be collapsed to carry in the car's luggage compartment when not in use... It will carry 400 pounds of extra luggage comfortably... In view of all we hear about shortages it is interesting to note that one make of car finished 1947 with 29 per cent of its production unregistered... Another had 30 per cent unregistered... Another had 30 per cent unregistered, 94 per cent being the highest production registered by any make.

### Needs Its Own Chain

Because a timing chain has more work to do on a six cylinder engine than on an eight, it is important not to use a chain for an eight on a six, even though it may fit. Usually the chains for the eights are not as wide as on the sixes; this being evidence of the difference in strain between the two. One reason a six chain has a heavier job is because two valves are being lifted simultaneously. On an eight the load is more distributed.

### Mechanic Joe Speaking:

"If there's one thing that traps a lot of home mechanics into trouble it's the notion that all cars are about alike in their general design and construction. They are, therefore, tempted to use tactics which are actually harmful to their particular cars."

A perfect example is the situation with regard to tightening cylinder head nuts. One of my customers did a valve job on his overhead valve engine and failed to note that with this type of construction, it is important to recheck the tappet clearances after giving the engine head nuts a second tightening when the engine has warmed up and cooled off. He went around with the tappets away off and undid a lot of the effort he expended trying to make a perfect job of the valve grinding."

### Detective Work On Caps

The question as to how water gets into the gas tank and fuel system has been answered to one owner's complete satisfaction. One day while having the car gassed he happened to hold the locking cap in his hand and noticed that water dripped out of it. Thinking back he recalled that only a short while before he had driven through a shower. Obviously water had worked in around the loosened door over the lock, leaking from there through the lock into the tank. Since replacing this cap with a conventional cap he has had no trouble.

Perhaps the reason I have not had trouble with watered gas is because I use a locking cap with a combination lock built into it. There is no place for a key, or for water to leak in. I just turn the cap a few clicks to the right, then a few to the left, two more to the right, and off it comes.

### As It Should Be

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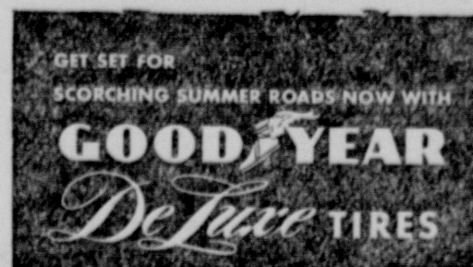
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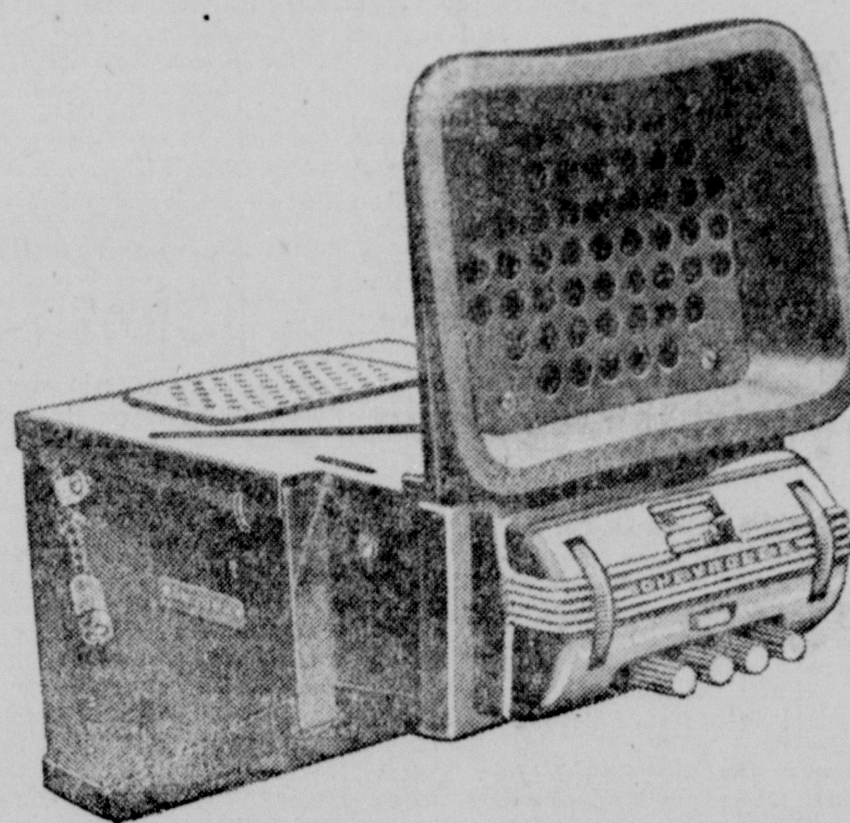
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### Why To The Right?

There are many explanations as to why the custom in the United States and Canada is to pass on the

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Senators Bridges (R-NH) and Gurney (R-SD) said the \$3,198,000 measure which whopped through the House by a 343 to 3 vote will get a close going over in the senate appropriations committee.

Bridges, the committee chairman, noted that the 70-group air force proposal added to the bill on the house floor is "highly controversial." He said he has not decided whether he will support it.

Gurney, No. 2 GOP member of Bridges' group and chairman of the Armed Services committee, declared that he sees no reason for rushing the 70-group appropriation through the senate.

"The air force will need men as well as planes," he told a reporter. "We want to wait until we can get all the facts, and that will be some time next week."

**Estimate 12,000 Planes**  
Gurney estimated that expansion of the air force to 70 groups would cost about \$6,000,000,000 a year from now on.

Various estimates have placed the total number of active planes in an air force that size at about 12,000 — as compared with some 5,500 now. Neither figure includes the several thousand aircraft held in reserve for future emergencies.

Gurney usually has supported the administration's defense program. He already has declared himself in favor of both a temporary draft revival and inauguration of Universal Military Training.

Most other Republican leaders in congress, however, as well as a number of Democrats, have shied away from a training bill. Their idea is to boost the air force from its present 55 group blueprint to 70 groups and to rely on selective service alone to provide any extra manpower needed.

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The Holy Name society of the local Catholic parish met Monday evening at the parochial hall for its monthly meeting.

Women of the Mite society of St. Paul's Reformed church are holding their annual public refreshment sale this afternoon in the basement of the church.

Mrs. Samuel Grogg, near here, who observed her birthday, was guest of honor at a party at her home during the week. Refreshments were served from a table of which the centerpiece was a large birthday cake. Those entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Grogg were: Mr. and Mrs. Lester Becker, Elaine Becker, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Groff, Gerald and Gerry Groff, Geneva Groff, Doris Markle, Sylvia Collins and Dollyne Collins. Mrs. Grogg was presented with a number of gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith and daughter, Angelita, with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Stergachis, were guests of Mrs. Smith at a party at her home during the week.

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when large wagons or "schooners" came into use the driver, (usually a right-handed gent) sat on the near wheel-horse. Here he could couple operate the brake with his right hand or foot.

You'll recall that the early cars were right-hand drives, with all the gear shifting equipment and the hand brake to the right. Later this was moved over so that meeting oncoming cars could be less hazardous. It also explains why so many drivers using parked cars.

**How It's Done**  
If things are not going well with the motor why not test its ground strap? This is done with the aid of a voltmeter, the positive lead of which should be connected to the engine while the negative lead is hooked to the frame of the car. Now crank the engine to get a discharge load across the engine ground strap. The voltmeter should show zero, or near it, if the strap is in good shape.

**What's On Your Mind?**  
Q. The horn on my car starts to blow every time I make a right turn. I have withdrawn the wire and find no worn insulation. Nor does there seem to be any short

at the base of the steering post. Can you help? H.O.K.

A. The trouble here is in the horn button which hasn't enough clearance when the wheel is turned to the right.

Q. I am getting very poor gas mileage from the engine and I also notice that while the motor starts promptly it doesn't run well until warmed up. Would you suggest changing the carburetor float level? There is no air leak around the intake. J.M.R.

A. There's a good chance that the manifold heat valve isn't working and that the engine is running without benefit of preheated fuel vapor when cold. This means that you have to choke longer. It is always wasteful.

Q. I am still having trouble with the breaker points burning out too fast. Among other things I have rigged up a special ground for the distributor, having noticed that there is a little wobble in its shaft, due to wear. What else would you suggest that I do to this job to prevent need for replacing points so frequently? I have tried different condensers, and of different capacity, without results. The car has a new coil. E.V.

A. Your trouble unquestionably is due to that wear on the distributor shaft. This is encouraging the breaker points to "bounce." That will cause them, in turn to burn quickly.

Q. My car has a tendency to skid on turns. Any cure? H.N.M.C.B.

A. Weak springs or defective shock absorbers will do this.

Mr. Russell will answer questions regarding the safe care and operation of your car. Just address him at 254 Fern street, West Hartford, 7, Conn., and enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope for a personal reply. There is no charge.

This country is estimated to have 400,000 miles of service and residential gas pipe.

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## BOGOTA STRIKE ENDS; CLEANUP EFFORT BEGINS

Bogota, Colombia, April 17 (AP)—The Colombian Workers Confederation proclaimed the end Friday of a general strike and the government moved to clean up wreckage from last week's bloody uprising.

The nation-wide strike accompanied the revolt, which caused some 300 deaths. Both were touched off by the assassination Friday of Liberal Party Leader Jorge Eliecer Gaitan.

A Confederation spokesman said union chiefs met Thursday with Liberal party leaders and agreed to give full support to Dario Echandia, a Liberal, who was taken into Conservative President Mariano Ospina Perez's cabinet as Minister of Government (Interior).

The U. S. State Department said it has unconfirmed reports there were serious oil refinery fires Wednesday in Colombia's Barancabermeja fields. There are a number of United States citizens and American interests there.

**Many Industries Wrecked**  
(The department also said it has reports that a handbill signed "Communists Cell No. 1" was circulated in Buenaventura, 200 miles southwest of Bogota. The handbill said "Yankee imperialism wants to convert us into military, political and economic colonies.")

It was difficult to learn how much the strike harmed the national economy. So many businesses and industries were wrecked during the rioting that their operations stopped for several days.

Banks reopened in the battered capital Thursday and laborers were busy cleaning up the rubble-strewn streets. The bodies of many riot victims are believed still under the wreckage of burned-out buildings.

Health authorities issued orders to prevent an outbreak of epidemics. The sale of milk in tin containers was banned.

H. Edward Russell of St. Louis, Mo., in charge of the Caribbean zone of the American Red Cross, has brought seven tons of medical supplies into the city. He conferred with Colombian officials on plans for a registration system to determine the exact number of riot casualties.

## East Berlin

East Berlin—Visitors to town during the week included Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Alwine and daughter, Joyce, Hanover R. 2. The Alwines moved from this section nine years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ebersole, LeMoyne, visited local relatives and friends during the week-end.

Miss Betty J. Butt, a teacher of public school music in Philadelphia, has returned there after a brief visit to her mother, Mrs. Grace Brown Butt.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Knapp, of Pinkney, Md., were recent visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Ebersole, R. 1.

Miss Margaret Ann Moul, winner in the alto solo class of last year's State Forensic and Music competitions, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Roger Becker, York, to Shippensburg Saturday to hear the auditions of this year's aspirants. Mr. and Mrs. Becker later visited at the home of Miss Moul's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Moul.

Hanna, four-year-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Leon Roos, has been spending some time with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. S. P. Carter, Altoona.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn C. Herman, who were confined to their home with scarlet fever for several weeks, are able to be about.

Charles Bickel, of Paradise township, has returned to the home of his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gise, after treatment at a hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wolf, both of whom observed birthdays recently, entertained Sunday at a turkey dinner in celebration of the occasion along with the birthdays of Mr. Wolf's mother, Mrs. Clara Wolf; Mrs. Wolf's nephew, Colin Altland, and of Marlin Lory. A large three-tiered birthday cake was the centerpiece of the dinner table. In addition to the guests of honor and Miss Janet Wolf, daughter of the hosts, those present were Mr. and Mrs. Merle Altland and son Vane, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Lory and son Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hoffman and son, Jack, Mrs. Bertha Altland, Ruthetta D. Wolf, and Aaron O. Jacobs.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Wisler and daughter, Susan Jane, spent the week-end on a motor trip to Lake Erie and Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Wisler is an employee of the People's State bank.

The Loyal Sons and Daughters class of Zwingle Reformed church school reported that the chicken pie supper served Saturday at their annex was highly successful with many out-of-town as well as local persons attending.

Mrs. Robert Newman, Brooklyn, N. Y., has been visiting here with her mother, Mrs. Nancy Fissel, and other local relatives.

Among recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Heagy and family, R. 1, were Mr. and Mrs. Arlington Schmuck, Baltimore, and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wolfe, York. Clyde E. Kimmel, Jr., formerly of this section, and who has been farming the Homestead farm, near Dills-

## York Springs

York Springs — The Wesleyan Service Guild, comprising young women of the local Methodist church, met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Kenneth M. Hankey. The speaker for the meeting was Mrs. Cloyd Fields, Harrisburg, whose husband is the minister of the Fifth Street Methodist church in that city.

Mrs. Sarah Prosser, elderly resident of this area, is recovering from the recent illness that confined her to her home.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson, Jr., born April 5, has been named Charleen Lemar.

Raymond M. Starry, with W. Roy Starry, who are working as inspectors for the U. S. Bureau of Agriculture, are now at Castleberry, Ala., where they are checking on the strawberry crops.

The Young People's group of the local Church of God conducted a meeting at the church on Sunday evening. Ten of this group recently accompanied the pastor and wife, the Rev. and Mrs. Donald G. Roemer, to Harrisburg to attend a young people's conference. They were: Hilda Griest, Dorothy Griest, Ellen Williams, Eleanor Kilgus, Alice Williams, Robert Brehm, David Frazier, James Frazier, John Frazier, and Paul Frazier.

Tuesday, May 4, is the date selected for the annual May Day activities on the local high school campus. Leland King, president of the student council, is in charge, and has been working on committee appointments to arrange the various features which are to include the presentation of the May Queen and her court, a baseball game, a dinner for the public served in the evening at the Community fire hall, and the closing concert that night by the high school band.

## WARNS AGAINST MILK PRICE CUT

Harrisburg, April 17 (AP)—H. N. Cobb, chairman of the state milk control commission, says a proposed penny reduction in milk prices in the Pittsburgh area during May and June will tend to drive farmers out of the milk business.

Cobb made this assertion at a conference here Thursday on a tentative Pittsburgh order drafted by the commission. It would reduce retail prices one cent to 19½ cents a quart and producer prices 40 cents to \$5.23 a hundred pounds.

The two other members of the commission did not agree, however, with Cobb's stand.

Before the tentative order can become final, the majority viewpoint must be written into another order and posted at the commission offices. This must be done by April 23 if the reductions are to become effective May 1. Failure to post an order would keep present prices in effect.

In his dissent, Cobb declared that the proposed drop will "result in a desperate shortage of fluid milk for the Pittsburgh market for the months of November and December of this year." He was backed in his stand by representatives of producers organizations.

The proposed price pattern for the Pittsburgh area is similar to that recently announced for Philadelphia, and six other eastern Pennsylvania marketing areas.

## Judges Are Writing Decision On Tojo

Tokyo, April 17 (AP)—The lengthy war crimes trial of former Premier Hideki Tojo and 24 other Japanese leaders ended Friday.

The 11 judges of the International Tribunal recessed for an indefinite period to write their judgment. The case began with the indictment against Nippon's war leaders April 29, 1946.

St. Petersburg, Fla., April 17 (AP)—Percy G. Hayden, 78, retired district representative of the Pennsylvania railroad traffic department died Thursday in a St. Petersburg hospital. His body was sent to Wilmington, Del., for burial.

burg, will now take over the work of his father's farm in the Shepherdstown area.

A large group of relatives met during the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bricker, R. 1, when nieces and nephews of Mrs. Bricker tendered her a party in celebration of her 66th birthday. Refreshments were served from a table on which were five decorated birthday cakes which were among gifts to Mrs. Bricker. Those entertained were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Brown and daughter, Connie, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Lotz and daughter, Camille, Donald Brown, Miss Eva Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dress and daughter, Julia, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cooper and sons, Roland and Richard, Jackie Fissel, Ross Smeltz and daughters, Sandra and Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Corty, Mrs. C. G. Benner and daughter, Martha, all of Harrisburg; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smeltzer, Enghaut; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Zimmerman and daughters, Linda and Rita, Halifax; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Payne, Progress; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cooper, Camden, N. J.; Mrs. Abbie Lillis, Lancaster; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanley and daughter, Kay, Middletown; Mrs. Walter Fairman, Arlington, Va.; Miss Martha Cooper, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Cline Bassett and son, Clarence, and Charlie Uplinger.

## HAUNTED HOLIDAY

By Cameron Dockery

AP Newsfeatures

Chapter 16  
"Come the dawn," said Johanson. "Come the dawn but twelve hours late."

"I suppose by that you mean that last night's fire and the knocking-out of Warner were simply to cover up the removal of Hugh?" Vince said.

"Exactly. You saw that kerosene-soaked shirt, didn't you? Well the fire was to get everyone away from this damnable house."

"Do you think Sophie started the fire herself?"

"I'm beginning to think she may be capable of anything but this time I believe she must have had a helper." He swore picturequely in Norwegian. "Well, she's going to do a little explaining when she gets back."

They inspected Hugh's room, the bathroom and Sophie's room but found nothing to add to their first discovery. Yet Vince couldn't ignore a strong feeling that the key to Mannley's murder lurked in this wing of Kalani.

"Look," he said, "Is it O.K. if I stay here and snoop a little more?" Johanson eyed him suspiciously. "Why?"

"Call it a hunch—I think there's something here we've missed."

"You're not going psychic on me, are you, Bonnay?"

Vince grinned. "Maybe just neurotic, malaria does that some times."

"O.K.," Johanson agreed reluctantly, "but this time if you make any discoveries don't wait for a kidnapping to tell me about it. I'll be in the game room—there were three men on duty here last night, one of them must have seen something!"

He strode angrily toward the stairs. Vince stood in Sophie's room and looked about him. Rain-soaked pine branches slapped the leaded panes viciously as the wind swept in from the Canal. To the accompaniment of their fretful swishing he examined every article in the room minutely, but it wasn't until he shook out the airy folds of the maroon satin bed puff that he made his discovery.

It fell at his feet, a leather portfolio with "Sophie Mannley" written in fine spidery writing on the title page. It was not kept in diary form but each entry was dated. He read it through then sat for long minutes as sentences from the last entry, dated two nights before, recurred to him.

"People speak of the dead past but the past is never dead," it began. "Tonight Duke mentioned a name and for me the past was resurrected in all its vivid detail. That name was Eric Branson!"

It was thirty-seven years ago that I met Eric . . . second mate of a vessel taking on cane for the China trade and he was to be in Honolulu only two weeks. We made those two weeks cover the pleasure of two months and at the end of them Eric asked me to marry him. I was to give him my answer the night before sailing.

"Simeon of course was furious. I tried to make him see Eric's true worth but he wouldn't listen and I was too madly in love to care what he thought. Eric and our future was my one thought. . . .

"I waited for Eric that last night but he never came. Instead it was Luki, then a small boy of eight, who brought me a note. I can see it now—Dear Sophie: I have come to the conclusion that with such a difference in our backgrounds we could never find true happiness together. I sail at dawn and hope the thought of the past two weeks will always be a pleasant memory to you as it will to me—Eric Branson."

"I couldn't believe it. It meant the end of everything for me, I could never love another man as I had Eric and when Simeon told me that Eric's ship has been lost in a typhoon, I knew I would never marry. And then tonight the past rose up and I knew what had happened thirty-seven years ago! "Simeon had written one note and signed it Eric, why couldn't he have written two, the other signature Sophie?"

"Oh Heaven, that such selfishness could exist!"

"Now I see Simeon for what he is—a cold-blooded sensual nepotist, a man who has gone through life gratifying himself yet denying Hugh and me the right to live as normal human beings. Such people must atone for their sins. They must not be allowed to go on wrecking others' lives. Simeon must pay. I don't know what I shall do but as God is my witness I will find a way. . . ."

Vince made his way to the game room unwillingly. Johanson was seated before the fire his boot soles extended toward the flames. At the sight of the naval officer's face he sat up abruptly. "You found something?"

Vince handed him the portfolio. "Read and ponder," he advised.

The investigator's lips moved soundlessly as he covered the pages and when he finished he knocked his pipe against his boot sole almost viciously. "So Sophie Mannley is our murderer . . . or is she?"

"I wonder. I found this tucked in the comforter on her bed."

"She certainly had a motive. What a skunk that Mannley must have been!"

"There's only one catch," Vince pointed out. "Sophie is no fool. If she had done it, would she have left such an incriminating thing around? She knew we might search her room—simply isn't logical."

"Not unless her mind's gone. This must have been a nasty shock—Thinking Branson dead all this time then discovering that he's led a successful and happy life that she could have shared except for Mannley's interference."

"Then Sophie isn't our murderer," Vince felt strangely relieved.

"No, but there's plenty she can tell us," Johanson bellowed for Warner and when the deputy appeared said, "When Miss Mannley returns I want her brought in here."

Warner's bulbous eyes expanded. "She's already back, boss."

"Well why didn't you report to me! When did they get back from town?"

"About fifteen minutes ago."

"Well go up and ask Miss Sophie Mannley to please come down here and tell Bates when he—Good Lord! What's that?"

The sound that caused Johanson to break into a stream of Norse invective was a thin high-pitched oriental wail. It came from the terrace and was repeated again and again.

### CHAPTER 17

As the piercing shriek soared again Vince and Johanson dashed for the French doors opening onto the terrace. Outside they halted in their tracks and Johanson pushed his red hunting hat to the back of his head in surprise.

"What in Valhalla all the women?" he demanded.

Mrs. Lin Cook stood across from them on the far side of the swimming pool excavation. Evidently she had just returned from digging clams for her black sateen trousers were rolled to her knees and a bucket spewed its molluscoland contents beside her. She emitted another anguished wail.

Above them a window clattered open and a startled gasp drifted across the sluggish air. Sonia, her face a horrified mask, was leaning from the casement. Now she pointed with a dramatic finger to the excavation.

"Een the hole!" she said distinctly. "Een the hole!"

And that was how they found Sophie Mannley.

She lay face up in the deep end of the swimming pool. The rainwater had collected there in a shallow pool; in it, Sophie's corpse made a small black sodden island. Except for the business-like arrow still quivering above her heart, her body was quite still.

They placed her on one of the wrought-iron benches that dotted the terrace. Vince gazed down at the woman who through the years had been capable of an unquenchable love for one man and, since two night ago, an unfortunate hate for another. Now emotions were forever dead for Sophie.

One of the mullioned windows squeaked and they looked up to see Julia staring down at them. Before Vince could remove his coat and cover Sophie's face Julia sank from sight inside her room.

"She's fainted!" Vince's throat went dry.

"Apparently." There was a queer ironical gleam in Johanson's eyes. "You'd better go up and see if she's O.K. Bonnay. I'm going to conduct a personal inquiry right now. Warner, you stay here with the body."

Vince took the outside stairway three steps at a time. Julia was lying just inside the window; he lifted her gently to the bed and began rubbing her wrists, in a moment her lids fluttered open.

"Vince, that was . . . was that . . . Aunt Sophie?"

"I'm afraid it was." Her hand felt

so small in his, to helpless.

Two large tears grew and slid down her cheeks. "How did it happen? How could it happen!—we just got home!"

He put a pillow behind her head. "Can you remember when you returned?"

She glanced at the traveling clock on the rosewood nightstand beside her bed. "Twenty-five minutes ago—it was exactly four o'clock."

"Do you feel like talking? Could you tell me about your trip to town?"

"We went directly to town. First we went to the morticians where Aunt Sophie made the arrangements for Uncle Sim then we stopped at a bank. Aunt Sophie withdrew some money—about two hundred dollars—and John Bissett deposited a personal check. At the telegraph office we picked up a message from Mr. Topping. Uncle Sim's lawyer, saying he wouldn't be here for a week because he couldn't get plane reservations from Honolulu."

"Anything happen on the way home?" Vince encouraged.

"The car began acting up and we coasted directly into the garage. Aunt Sophie said she wanted to see how the rain had affected the new swimming pool. The Olands are building it for us, you know, it's impossible to get skilled labor to come out this far now. John and I went in the front door."

"The door was open and Johanson slipped in, carrying a small glass of brandy which he gave to Julia. "Drink this," he said. "It may help and I've got to ask you some questions."

Vince frowned in irritation. "She's told me about their trip to town."

"That's fine, but it doesn't happen to be what I'm interested in right now." His tone was coldly efficient. "Julia, where is your Uncle Hugh?"

Julia's lips set in a white recalcitrant line; she didn't answer.

The investigator's mouth looked equally stubborn. "Don't you realize that other people's lives are in jeopardy? Your aunt was killed with one of Hugh's arrows, a sharpened kitchen skewer was taped to the tip."

"He couldn't have done it, Hugh hasn't the mind for murder!" Johanson's pupils were like highly-polished agate as the words were torn from her. "What are you afraid of then? Tell us where he is."

"Aunt Sophie had him taken to the Olands' farm last night. She was afraid that if the police heard of his frailty he would be blamed for Uncle Sim's death and she knew he was incapable of such a heinous thing."

Vince put his hand over hers again. "Look here, Julia, hadn't you better tell us the truth about Hugh? Just what is wrong with him?"

"He isn't insane," she explained

## BIGGEST BUDGET SURPLUS FOR U.S. IS GOING FAST

Washington, April 17 (AP)—The government's biggest budget surplus in history has passed its peak and started downhill.

Administration analysts who reported this today predicted privately that the next president—Democrat or Republican—will confront a king-size financial headache.

They say the reason is the delayed impact to be felt from contracts being authorized now on which no payments are due until later. As an example they cite the \$2,245,000,000 in contract authority voted by the House yesterday as part of a \$3,198,100,000 air power bill.

**Ten Million A Day**  
The budget books won't show the two billion dollar amount until the planes are delivered—and paid for—a couple of years from now.

But even with the current (1948) fiscal year certain to mark up a far bigger surplus than the \$1,155,000,000 record set 21 years ago, the government's financial fortunes are ebbing.

Since this month began, the government has been overspending its income by more than \$10,000,000 a day, thus whittling down a surplus that has hit \$7,800,000,000.

A number of administration officials have said that a year or so hence the treasury may slip back into the red from which it emerged in 1947 for the first time in 17 years. They say the only things that could prevent that are higher taxes or less spending.

Congress has trimmed some items

reluctantly. "He's—he's just childish."

Johanson's eyes were probing hers. "Has he always been that way?"

"No, it was the result of a brain injury when he was about nineteen."

"What happened to him?"

Julia flushed. "You've got to believe me! Hugh is harmless! He was hurt in an accident—a fight over a Portuguese girl he wanted to marry. He lost his footing and hit his head against a cement balustrade. He's been to all the best brain surgeons but they say that some of the nerve centers are affected and that he'll always be this way—he'll never grow up."

"And the man who knocked him against the balustrade?" Johanson persisted.

"The words came so faintly that Vince saw only the slow unwilling motion of Julia's lips. "Uncle Simeon."

(To be continued)

## White Run

White Run — Mr. and Mrs. Emory Sachs and Mr. and Mrs. Earle Reaver spent Saturday evening at the Waynesboro hospital where they spent a short time with Mrs. Charles Sachs. Mrs. Sachs died on Thursday.

Mrs. Leroy Levan and daughter, Hannah Jean, and son, David, who spent the week in Mechanicsburg, have returned to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Garrity and son, Jimmie, of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, were Thursday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lamont.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller, of Shiremanstown, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Levan. Mrs. Walton Jones spent Wednesday in Harrisburg.

In the \$39,700,000,000 spending program President Truman proposed in January. But it also has added some new outlays and is considering others.

Senator Bridges (R-NH) said today that Mr. Truman's budget "has proved to be as full of 'hidden costs' as a second-hand automobile."

At the same time the chairman of the Senate appropriations committee took some of his fellow Republicans in Congress to task for "refusing to go down the line for that economy which was promised the American people."

Cereals were cultivated in Asia 10,000 years ago.

## Says Communists Don't Want Peace

Pittsburgh, April 17 (AP)—Dr. V. K. Wellington Koo, Chinese ambassador to the United States, said Thursday that Russia opposes a true peace.

Using his own strife-torn country as an example, Dr. Koo, told the foreign policy association here: "It takes two sides to make a peace. The nationalist government has been trying for peace and co-operation but the Communists don't really want peace."

Asked if there were evidence of actual Soviet participation in the rebellion in China, Dr. Koo replied: "Chinese Communists are like all others. They are directed from one center abroad. We all know where that is."

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Attractive position open in this territory for tire salesman with good appearance, excellent health, pleasing personality. Must be under 45 years of age, with three or more years of successful wholesale tire selling experience for other tire manufacturer to dealers at wholesale. Only man with these qualifications can be considered for this particular position. To the man whom we select and who can produce, we can offer permanent position with salary and expenses, and we furnish car. KINDLY READ REQUIREMENTS CAREFULLY AGAIN. Corduroy Rubber Company, Factory and Offices, Grand Rapids 1, Michigan. For personal interview, see Mr. L. B. McCourt, Harrisburg Hotel, Harrisburg, Pa. between 8:30 A. M. and 10:30 A. M. Thursday, April 22.

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WANTED: MAN WITH FAMILY to work on fruit farm, good house, electric. Write Box "80," Gettysburg Times.

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FOR SALE: 1940 INTERNATIONAL truck with 14 ft. flat, low racks, new rubber. U license. E. L. McClellan. Phone Fairfield 16-R-21.

FOR SALE: 1942 ONE AND A HALF ton Ford truck, stake body, cattle racks, good condition. Robert Epley, Gettysburg, R. 5, near Granite Station.

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FOR RENT: 2 OR MORE ROOMS, kitchenette, conveniences, 3 1/2 miles north of Gettysburg. Telephone 958-R-12.

## REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE: STONE HOUSE IN Tyrone township. S. G. Bigham. Phone Biglerville 19.

FOR SALE: VACANT LOT, 120 foot frontage by 80 foot deep, on the square, Lincoln Highway, Route 30, New Oxford, Pa., suitable for food market, movies, or factory. Write or apply to Park Hotel.

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## MISCELLANEOUS

RADIO REPAIRING. ALL MAKES, models, Baker's Battery service, opposite Post Office.

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CARD OF THANKS  
We wish to thank all those who called and sent letters and cards of sympathy, gifts and flowers, and for the many other kindnesses during our recent bereavement of the passing of our dear sister, Martha A. Lott.

Miss Sara Lott, brothers and sisters.

## MARKETS

Market prices at warehouses in this section; and paying prices as quoted to you by the Adams County Egg Co-op. Association.

Gettysburg Grain-Eggs	
EGGS	
Large whites	53
Large browns	48
Medium whites	44
Medium browns	45
Pullet white	46
Pullet brown	45
Pewee white	44
Pewee brown	42
Ducks	35
GRAIN	
Wheat	\$2.36
Oats	2.30
Barley	1.68
Rye	1.80

## Baltimore Fruit-Poultry

APPLES—Market fruit best stock, about steady others. Bushel bas. and eastern steady. U. S. 1's, 2 1/2-in. up (unless otherwise stated), Md., Pa., Va., W. Va., Delicious, \$2.25-2.50; some best, \$2.75-3.25; poorer, \$1.25-1.50; Golden Delicious, few best, \$2.75-3; poorer low bas, \$1.25; Rome, \$1.00-2; few best, \$2.50; Staymans, 2 1/2-in., \$1.50; 2 1/2-in., \$1.75-2.75; few best, \$3; boxes, 16's, \$2.75; York, \$1.40-1.75; N. Y. Golden Delicious, few, \$3; Rome, 3-in., \$2.75-3; fair quality, \$1.65; N. J. Rome, fair quality, \$1.50; Black Twigs, fair quality, \$1.50. Various varieties, all districts, some no grade or size marks, poor to ordinary quality and condition, 50c-1.50.

POULTRY—Market about steady frites, weaker undertone others. Demand very light, some carried. Receipts moderate. Wholesale selling prices per pound in Baltimore:

## Roasters (Including Pullets)

4-6 lbs.—40-45c, few best 42c.  
FOWLS—Colored, 38-39c, few best higher; lightweights (Leghorns), supplies insufficient to quote.

## Baltimore Livestock

CATTLE—75. Not enough of any one class on offer to accurately test values; quotations nominally unchanged for all classes; all lots common and medium slaughter cows, \$19-22; canners and cutters, \$15-18.50; individual medium slaughter bull, \$21.  
CALVES—50. Nominally steady; few good and choice, 160-250-pound averages sold at \$20-31, but top quotation considered to be \$22; medium and medium, \$16-27; culls downward from \$16.  
HOGS—60. Fairly active, all weights and grades steady; good and choice 160-250-pound hogs and gilts, \$22.75; the top, 225-250 pounds, \$22.25; 250-275 pounds, \$20.75; 275-300 pounds, \$19.75; 300-400 pounds, \$18.75; few over 400 pounds, \$18.25; 120-140 pounds, \$19.75; 140-160 pounds, \$21.50; 160-180 pounds, \$22.50; sows 400 pounds and lighter, \$17.25; heavier weights at varying discounts down to \$17.75 or under; few stags, \$11-15.75.  
SHEEP—50. Woolled slaughter lambs and

## RADIO

New York, April 17 (AP)—Two broadcasts by President Truman have been announced, one tonight and the other Monday.

On Saturday night list: NBC—8 Life of Riley; 8:30 Truth or Consequences; 9 Sinatra and Hit Parade; 10:30 Grand Old Opry.

CBS—7 Mr. Ace and Jane, 9 Rudy Vallee with Joan Davis; 9:45 Vaughn Monroe show; 10 Vic Damone serenade.

ABC—8 Ross Dolan Detectives; 8:30 Famous Jury Trials; 10 Prof. Quiz. MBS—8 James A. Farley in twenty questions; 8:30 Stop Me, gag show; 9 Keep Up with the Kids, quiz; 10 Chicago Theater "Chimes of Normandy"; 11:30 Latin-American serenade from Tampa, Fla.

Sunday: NBC—2:30 Bob Merrill concert; 4 Quiz Kids; 5 Sunday Theater "Silver Cord"; 7 Jack Benny; 8 Charlie McCarthy and Gary Cooper; 8:30 Jim Farley with Fred

Allen; 10 Garry Moore quiz; 10:30 Horace Heidt Talent.

CBS—Doorway to Life; 3 New York Philharmonic Finale; 4:30 "The Promise," United Jewish Appeal drama; 6 Joan Edwards for Rise Stevens; 7:30 Blondie; 8:30 Man Called X; 9:30 Mickey Rooney drama; 10:30 Strike It Rich quiz.

ABC—2:30 Mr. President; 3:30 Sammy Kaye serenade; 4:30 Opera auditions; 5:30 David Harding; 6:30 Greatest Story; 7 Detroit Symphony Finale; 8 Stop the Music quiz; 9:30 Ingrid Bergman in "Anna Karenina."

MBS—12 Noon Salt Lake Philharmonic choir; 1:30 p. m. Passover drama "Forgotten Letter"; 4 House of Mystery; 5:30 Quick As Flash; 6:30 Nick Carter; 8 Mediation Board; 9 Meet Me At Parky; 9:30 Jim Backus comedy.

Bogota, capital of Colombia, is hemmed in by a ring of 10,000-foot mountains making the city's land approaches as difficult as those of Lhasa, Tibetan capital.

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"Every community in the United States with one or more manufacturing establishments, however small, has a stake in the results of the national census of manufactures, just initiated by the bureau of the census," said the letter. "Especially concerned are local chambers of commerce. The statistics derived from this census will be vital to them in their planning for the future."

## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Large Lot, 140 feet by 300 feet deep, fronting on Route 15, near Marsh Creek, landscaped, graded, cellar excavated, 50 red pine and other trees planted, \$1,000.

Taneytown road, eight-room frame house with slate roof, has electricity, hot air furnace, well and cistern, five acres of land includes barn, garage, chicken and brooder houses. A nicely located country home for \$3,500.

Large lot, the rear of West Broadway, containing one and one-half acres suitable for factory or storage site.

Lincoln cabins, three-quarter mile north of Gettysburg on Route 15. Six room bungalow, cabins and utility building, \$11,500. Fifty-acre farm, quarter mile from Aspers. Nine-room stone house, electricity, two wells, large bank barn, land suitable for fruit or general farming.

Newman's Park-restaurant, gas station, tourist camp, 900-foot frontage, five-room house, hot air furnace, nine cabins and utility building.

Building lots, Lincoln Highway East, 300-foot frontage by 300 deep, whole plot \$1,000.

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## BIG HILL INCHES TOWARD RIVER; HOMES WRECKED

Pittsburgh, April 17 (AP)—A tremendous, rain-soaked hillside, undermined by springs, was still inching glacier-like toward the Allegheny river today.

Two homes in its path have been twisted into virtual wreckage. The slide has halted but emergency traffic on the \$3,500,000 Allegheny river boulevard.

A 500-foot stretch of the highway,

between Nadine and Sandy creek roads, about a mile out of Pittsburgh, was being shoved slowly toward the river. An equal stretch of the three-track Pennsylvania railroad, just below the highway, was undergoing the same fate.

**Disrupts Utility Services**  
Workers were forced to loosen one of the Bell Telephone company's main lines to prevent its being snapped. The Duquesne Light Co., faced with the same problem on a 500-foot stretch of a 4,000-volt power line, put up two new poles and bypassed the endangered stretch.

The slide movement was first noticed about 6:30 p.m. Thursday. Occupants of one house heard the whine of escaping gas from a broken main. Police inspected the situation

## Orrtanna

Orrtanna — Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Metz spent Sunday in Mercersburg as guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Zeger, parents of Mrs. Metz.

Charles Myrick has returned home after spending sometime in Philadelphia.

Miss Amanda Lochbaum and Dorsey Lochbaum spent Monday in Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kelly, of Ocean City, N.J., visited this week with H. F. Lawler and Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Gallagher. Mrs. Kelly is a niece of Mr. Lawler and a cousin of Mrs. Gallagher. The Kellys were en route home from Florida where they spent the winter.

Mrs. Sue Mickle and Miss Nancy Allen were hostesses to the W.S.C.S. of the local Methodist church at the monthly meeting in the church hall Thursday evening. Mrs. Frank Newall had charge of devotions. After the regular program refreshments were served and a social hour held.

Luther Wetzel and sons, Paul and John, Orrtanna R. D., and Miss Gladys Weaver, Aspers, spent Sunday in Solley, Md., as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Wetzel at the home of Mrs. Wetzel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hunley.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Saum spent Sunday at New Franklin as guests of Mrs. Saum's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Vandreau.

Among gifts received by U. S. Presidents was a chair made from a bear's head and skin, given to President Johnson, and an elk horn chair presented to President Lincoln.

and advised them to move out. They did.

The boulevard was badly cracked and buckled at one spot and during the day one concrete section was pushed 11 inches toward the river.

## EVEN TRUMAN IS PUZZLED OVER ANSWER

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, April 17 (AP)—If you're wondering—hey, what goes?—about the armed forces, that's what President Truman is wondering, too.

The armed forces were going to be made stronger—according to a set plan—to back up our stop-Communism policy. Then . . . wham . . . the boss of the air force upset the applecart.

Big boss over all—Secretary of Defense Forrestal; under him—Secretary of the Army, Royall; Secretary of the Navy, Sullivan; Secretary of Air, Symington.

Each service usually wants something different from the others. Forrestal was supposed to get them to agree and keep them all in line. But look what happened.

**Started Last Month**  
In mid-March President Truman told Congress Communism abroad must be stopped. He asked a program to build up the armed forces. Right away Forrestal told the entire military high command—meaning the top men under him—to work out a defense program.

Then, in the days that followed, Forrestal and those top men of his went before: 1. The Senate armed services committee, and 2. The House armed services committee.

Both committees are supposed to draw up bills for both Houses of Congress to vote on. The bills may differ. If they do, and are approved, House and Senate will have to get together on one single bill for both Houses.

**Forrestal's Plan**

Forrestal and his top aides—and this includes General Omar N. Bradley, Army Chief of Staff—told the committees this: 1. We need a draft to build up our armed forces right away; 2. We need Universal (Compulsory) Military Training to build up a pool of trained men to back up our armed forces if needed in an emergency; 3. If we don't have UMT, we'll need a permanent draft to keep the armed forces built up; and 4. We ought to have an air force of 55 groups.

Then W. Stuart Symington, Secretary of Air, upset the applecart in such a way that even the President is confused.

He told the House armed services committee: 1. Russia is building the greatest air force in the world; 2. Instead of a 55-group air force, we need a 70-group air force; and 3. We need the 70-group air force more than we need UMT.

**House Follows Symington**  
Here was the Secretary of Air apparently going contrary to Forrestal and the other top people in the armed forces because:

They had insisted the most important thing right away was a draft and UMT.

Thursday the full House took matters out of the hands of the armed services committee and voted for a 70-group air force.

But how come Symington—who's supposed to be under Forrestal—can sound off with something different from what Forrestal says? Mr. Truman was asked this question at his news conference yesterday. He said he doesn't know the answer.

## FIRST NATIONAL

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example of the old saying. The First National was the first bank in Adams county to be granted a national charter and the 311th in the nation. A few years ago, historically speaking, the idea of federally chartered banks was anathema to many Americans, so much so that only a few, such as Thaddeus Stevens, were in favor of national banks. Stevens had to go to the rescue of the Bank of the United States at Philadelphia, which was chartered by the nation, and give it a Pennsylvania charter to keep it from having to close when its national charter was withdrawn.

**Many Changes**

There have been other changes during the years the local banks have been serving the community. There was the time when Stevens, during the Civil War, fought for issuance of government paper money as legal currency, and lost the fight. Today a \$1 bill issued by the government is accepted as legal tender.

There also was a time when gold was the only legal currency issued by the government and the bank note was the paper money. Gettysburg's banks once had that power and issued many bills of \$1 or higher denominations as bank notes or money.

**Mutual Progress**

With the change in times, financial ideas and development of the county, the town and county's banks progressed along with the rest of the nation. From small establishments they have grown to a point where they hold every power held by large city banks. Again using the First National as an example, it has a savings department; a checking account department including the special checking accounts on which no service charge is made no matter how small the depositors account may be (a feature advertised by many city banks); it has a trust department and collection department that can make collections all over the United States. It has Christmas clubs and school savings accounts; vault service with lock boxes and the like; travelers checks for the United States and abroad; complete commercial and personal loan serv-

ices, and a consumer credit lending department. The bank acts as executor, administrator and trustee for individuals and as corporate trustee also as guardian.

The First National was the first national bank in the county to be granted trust powers by the federal and state government.

**Increased Service**

Like all banks in the county it has found in the past decade or so that it is permitted to do more things to help its customers than before. Real estate loan services have been permitted to expand due to federal legislation and now chattel mortgages are permitted.

Not only have banks grown larger with the community, but they have been of increased service to the county and country. An example of that is the war bond drives and now

savings bond drives of which Edmund W. Thomas is chairman. The banks did an excellent job during the war and are continuing that job during the "cold-war" in connection with financing the country's efforts. Not only have the banks demonstrated the great growth of the county during the past relatively few years, but they continue to show that the countians are thrifty and

industrious. Last year six of the county's banks, of which the First National was one, showed increases in deposits despite the fact that higher prices and loss of high paying overtime jobs by many countians would seem to argue that loss in deposits should result. Adams county is blessed with many things and it can count its banks as one of its finest blessings.

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1941 Pontiac Six Torpedo Coupe, Radio & Heater	
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## Virginia Mills

Virginia Mills.—Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Wagner, Washington, D. C., spent the past week at the Wagner cottage at this place.

Miss Mary Jean Metz spent the past week-end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lightner, Baltimore, Maryland.

Mrs. C. F. Nittle and son, Glenn, and granddaughter, Helen, were guests Sunday of Mrs. Nittle's father, John Kauffman, of South Mountain.

Larry Yoder, Essex, Maryland, is spending some time at the home of his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Allen Currens.

Miss Jean Kepner, who recently returned from Miami, Florida, is spending the week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Iva Sites, and sons, Richard and Clair.

Robert Sanders visited recently at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Black, Waynesboro.

Mrs. Laura V. Currens and Mrs. Iva Sites were guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Clapper, Waynesboro.

Paul Dudash, Reading, visited his son, Paul, Jr., over the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Kint, Mrs. Iva Hertz, sons, Charles and Ronald and James Weygant were guests Sunday of Mrs. Kint's brother, John Kepner, and family, of Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Spangler, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bankert, daughters, Sherry and Joan, Hanover, visited over the past week-end with Mrs. Spangler's and Mrs. Bankert's



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parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kump, Mrs. Kump has been ill.

Mrs. Laura V. Currens and Mrs. Iva Sites visited Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Laura King, of Waynesboro.

Miss Jean Kepner, of Miami, Florida, visited this week at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Laura V. Currens.

The Rev. Amos Funt, Chambersburg, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lightner.

## Charter No. 311 Reserve District No. 3 Report of condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Gettysburg

in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business on April 12th, 1948, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 843,442.40
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	2,269,935.94
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	119,302.82
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	113,732.77
Corporate stocks (including \$1,700.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	11,700.00
Loans and discounts (including \$2.88 overdrafts)	1,607,207.33
Bank premises owned \$113,609.00, furniture and fixtures \$21,451.04	135,060.04
Other assets	17,689.04
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$5,118,070.04</b>

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,976,594.51
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,967,334.42
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	120,617.42
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	576,343.03
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	33,493.18
<b>Total Deposits</b>	<b>\$4,674,382.56</b>
Other liabilities. Reserve for amortization of premiums on bonds and securities	19,460.74
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$4,693,843.30</b>

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
(a) Common stock, total par \$250,000.00	\$ 250,000.00
Surplus	140,000.00
Undivided profits	24,227.04
Reserves	10,000.00
<b>Total Capital Accounts</b>	<b>424,227.04</b>

Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	
	\$5,118,070.34

MEMORANDUM	
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	\$ 872,134.86

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, ss:	
I, A. E. ROTH, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
<b>A. E. ROTH, Cashier.</b>	

Correct—Attest:	
J. C. SHANK, J. C. SHANK, Director.	
S. G. SPANGLER, Director.	